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INTRODUCTION

The *Modern Parochial Speller* has been written to supply the need felt by Catholic Schools of a book based on modern investigations of the spelling problem and containing additional words needed especially by pupils in these schools.

The theory underlying the content of the series is that the greatest single determining factor in the vocabulary of a spelling book is the need of the child to use the selected words in his written work. It is assumed that his experience in school will be rich and varied enough in the course of eight years to call for the writing of material of live, human interest. If such is the case and if he has been properly taught, there is little need of anxiety about his spelling ability as an adult. The words commonly misspelled by adults, investigations have shown, are those which children have occasion to write before they enter high school.

To determine this vocabulary, the authors have made a careful check of the following scientific studies:

Anderson, W. N.—Determination of a Vocabulary Based on Written Correspondence. (List of 3105 words) 3000 of these are included in this Speller.

Ayres, L. P.—A Measuring Scale for Ability in Spelling. (List of 1000 words most commonly used in writing.) All these words are included in this Speller.

Horn, Ernest—3000 Words of Commonwealth List. (This appears in the Fourth Year Book of the Department of Superintendence N. E. A., February, 1926, as part of the

report of the National Subject Committee on Curriculum-Spelling.) All these words except simple derived forms, appear in this Speller.

Jones, W. F.—Concrete Investigation of the Material of English Spelling. (List of 4532 words used in themes of children.) This Speller contains the words of the Jones list which are common to three lists mentioned later.

Pryor, H. C.—A Suggested Minimal Spelling List. (1309 words scientifically selected from previous investigations.) 1300 of these words are included in this Speller.

Tidyman, W. E.—The Teaching of Spelling. (Minimum list of words.) All these words are included in this Speller.

Catholic School List.—(A list of 6973 words compiled as the result of an analysis of compositions written in grades two to eight inclusive, in parochial schools in various localities.) The subject matter in these compositions covered Church History, stories from the Bible, and answers to catechism questions, as well as compositions on the following topics:

A Wish That Came True.
Watching a Bird (Spider, etc.)
How I Learned to Drive.
My First Day in a New School.
How I Choose a Book.
My First Ride on a Train.
A Trick I Taught My Dog.
How We Played Store.
Fun at a Picnic.
A Joke on Me.
Why I Had to Remain after School.
My Saturday Job.

Each teacher was asked to tabulate the words misspelled in each composition, to state the grade in which it was misspelled, and the number of times. These words were listed alphabetically and proved a great help in determining the "Catholic Words" which should be included in the list, as well as the grade placement and probability of error of all the words listed.

In addition to the studies mentioned above, in order to assist in grade placement, a check was made for every word in the Anderson list against the following: "Boston Word List," "Spelling in the Elementary Schools, Chicago," "Horn-Ashbaugh Spelling Book," "The New Merrill Speller." "The Iowa Spelling Scales" and the "Thorndike Teacher's Word Book" also were used to assist in determining the grade of the words selected.

Attention is called to the provision for systematic review and to the emphasis placed on the frequent use of those small words which are known to cause most of the spelling difficulties of children and adults.

Attention is called, also, to the reference list placed at the end of each grade. It is believed that this will prove helpful to pupils in their daily written work and will develop the valuable habit of making sure of the spelling of a word before submitting it to another to read.

In accordance with the best recent practice, proper names, subject matter words such as numerator, adjective, isthmus, etc., have been omitted from the list of words contained in this Speller. It is recommended that these, as well as words needed in special localities, be taught as supplementary words when they are needed. It seems advisable to state here that it was thought best to include in this Speller only those derived forms which investigation showed presented spelling difficulties, or which served the purpose of reviewing in a slightly different form the original word.

Suggestions as to Method will be found in the Teachers' Manual which accompanies the series.

Acknowledgment is gratefully made to the teachers who assisted in the work by their careful study of the spelling in pupils' compositions and by their many helpful suggestions.

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FIFTH GRADE

Can you make a record of 100% on the following second, third, and fourth grade words?

already
always
been
believe
busy
chimney
choose
commit
enough
every
February
forty
guardian angel
heavy
laughed
martyr
straight
there
used to
which

1	2	3
abroad	accident	action
absent	account	actor
absolution	ache	adding
absolve	acknowledge	addition
abstain	acre	address

4	5	6
advise	agreed	allowed
affection	aid	all right
afterwards	aim	although
against	aisle	American
agree	allowance	amount

7	8	9
angry	apart	archbishop
anoint	apostle	arithmetic
answered	appear	army
answering	approve	arrest
anybody	archangel	artist

10	11	12
ascend	avenue	baptize
assistant	average	barley
attend	backed	barrel
author	banking	base
automobile	baptism	baseball

13	14	15
basketball	beginning	Bible
beaten	being	bicycle
beauty	bench	bind
beef	beside	birth
beggar	beyond	biscuit

16	17	18
blank	borrow	breaking
blanket	bough	broad
bloom	bound	bruise
boiler	brain	building
booklet	branches	bulk

REVIEW

accident	although	beggar
ache	answered	beginning
acknowledge	ascend	bicycle
address	automobile	birth
aisle	baptize	biscuit
all right	barrel	breaking
bruise	building	

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. My dear Aunt,

Yes, we had an automobile accident. We were beginning to ascend a hill, when we saw a bicycle coming towards us. We turned to the side of the road, to keep from running into it; in doing so, we went over a bank. Although we were badly shaken-up, we are all right, without an ache or bruise.

If you write soon, address your letter to American Bank Building, Eleventh Street.

Your loving niece,

Catherine.

2. Mother says I must acknowledge all the gifts that came after sister's birth. When the priest came to baptize sister, I sat in the side aisle of the church, and answered all the prayers.

3. The beggar was found breaking into the bakery. He said he wanted a few biscuits.

Flour is sold now by the sack rather than by the barrel.

19	20	21
buried	called	captain
burst	calling	cared
business	candles	cash
button	canoe	cause
buyer	capital	cedar

22	23	24
celery	chart	chill
changing	cheaper	choice
chapel	check	choir
charge	cheerful	chop
charging	cherries	chose

25	26	27
cigar	clearly	clothes
cities	clerk	coach
claim	climate	coast
clay	closely	coasting
cleaner	closing	cocoa

28	29	30
collect	composition	contrition
committed	conception	copies
common	concert	correct
Communion	consecrate	cottage
companies	contain	county

31	32	33
couple	creamery	crucifix
covering	credit	cure
coward	creed	currant
crawl	crowded	curtain
crazy	crucified	daily

34	35	36
dainty	dandy	delight
dairy	dangerous	delightful
damage	daughter	deliver
damnation	dealer	dentist
dancing	death	deportment

REVIEW

buried	closing	couple
business	clothes	crowded
buyer	cocoa	crucified
candles	committed	curtain
changing	communion	damage
choir	consecrate	dangerous

daughter delightful

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Christ was crucified on a Friday, and buried on the same day. On Good Friday, the priest does not consecrate the host. After the Consecration, the choir sang a Communion hymn. Wax candles are used for Mass.

2. Wednesday night, my daughter gave a delightful program in the Parish Hall. It was crowded. When they were changing the scene before the closing number, the curtain fell. No great damage was done. It caused a short delay in the exercises. I was glad I wore my light-weight clothes as it was very warm in the hall.

3. The cocoa business in this city is run by a couple of men. They have committed the care of their cocoa forests in South America to a buyer, or agent. These men are often exposed to dangerous attacks from wild animals of the forest. They write us exciting accounts of these attacks.

37	38	39
depot	destroy	direction
depth	dew	discover
describe	difference	discovered
desert	different	dismiss
desire	direct	disobedience

40	41	42
dispose	dodge	dull
distance	doubt	dumb
divine	dresser	during
division	drill	duties
doctrine	drowned	duty

43	44	45
earn	edge	eleventh
earnest	eighteen	ember
ease	either	enemies
easily	elect	enemy
Easter	elevation	English

46	47	48
enjoy	errand	examine
enjoyed	escape	example
envy	eternity	except
equal	Evangelist	exchange
eraser	everywhere	exciting

49	50	51
exercise	factory	fasten
express	failed	fault
extend	faithful	favor
extra	famous	fear
Extreme Unction	farther	feather

52	53	54
fern	film	fixed
fifteen	finest	flesh
fifth	finished	flight
file	fitted	flood
filing	fitting	flow

REVIEW

depth	earnest	Extreme Unction
difference	easily	faithful
dismiss	eighteen	feather
disobedience	enemies	fifth
doubt	errand	filing
drowned	exciting	finished
flight		flood

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The world says: "Love your friends."
Christ said: "Love your enemies."
There is a great difference between the two rules.
Disobedience to law causes much trouble.
Let us hope to receive Extreme Unction before death.

2. After Thursday's flood, many cellars were filled with water to a great depth. We read of a child being drowned in one of these cellars.

There is no doubt the flight of the first airship was exciting even to bird-men.

"Birds of a feather flock together."

—*Benjamin Franklin.*

3. My fifth grade school work shall be finished in eighteen days, because I have been faithful all year. I could easily find time to put the cards in the filing case, and go on an errand every day. So you see, if you are in earnest, you can dismiss all fear of failure.

55	56	57
followed	forgiveness	foul
foolish	form	fountain
force	formed	fourteen
forenoon	former	frame
forest	forward	frankly

58	59	60
friend	furnace	gained
frighten	furnish	garment
fuel	furniture	gather
fullest	further	gentleman
funeral	future	geography

61	62	63
germ	goose	greeting
German	grandfather	grief
gladly	grave	grieve
globe	graze	grievous
golf	greatest	grip

64	65	66
groceries	handled	hare
group	handling	harness
guest	handy	harvest
guilty	happened	healthy
hallowed	hardware	hearing

67	68	69
height	holiness	human
heirs	homesick	hurried
helpful	hose	hymn
highest	hospital	icicle
history	housekeeping	idea

70	71	72
illness	indeed	instead
immortal	industry	intend
important	innocence	interest
improve	innocent	inviting
improved	inspect	ironing

REVIEW

followed	grief	hearing
forgiveness	grievous	height
fourteen	groceries	heirs
friendly	guilty	holiness
frighten	hallowed	hymn
gentleman	happened	illness

innocence instead

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. "Hallowed be Thy name," is a beautiful hymn of praise, said for the first time by the Lord Himself.

It is a grievous sin to rob a child of his innocence. A person guilty of this sin does not easily obtain forgiveness.

Holiness is sure to be followed by happiness here and hereafter.

2. It happened that a friendly old gentleman became ill. Hearing his heirs talk much of his money, instead of his illness, he was filled with grief, and changed his will.

3. The height of this fourteen-story building is enough to frighten you. We bought groceries on its fourth floor.

"Though we should be grateful for good houses, there is no house like God's out-of-doors."

—*R. L. Stevenson.*

73	74	75
island	joyful	junior
ivory	joyous	justify
jail	jubilee	kindness
joke	judge	lack
journey	judgment	largely

76	77	78
lately	learned	library
latest	learning	lightning
leader	least	likely
lean	length	lilies
leap	level	limb

79	80	81
linen	locate	lovely
lining	lodge	lovingly
list	lonesome	loyal
lively	loose	luncheon
loaded	loss	mad

82	83	84
madam	maple	meaning
main	mar	meantime
manual	marriage	medal
manufacture	married	medicine
manufacturing	mate	messenger

85	86	87
metal	model	namely
middle	motion	narrow
minister	motor	nation
mischief	mountain	navy
misses	movies	nearer

88	89	90
needed	nineteen	notion
needle	ninth	object
neighbor	northern	oblige
neither	noted	obliged
nerve	notice	occasion

REVIEW

island	lilies	medicine
journey	lively	messenger
jubilee	loose	mischief
judgment	luncheon	motor
learned	manufacturing	needle
library	marriage	neighbor

obliged occasion

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. My dear Uncle,

On the occasion of the golden jubilee of mother and father's marriage, we will take them on a journey. We shall stop to rest at a little island about thirty miles from here. We just learned you were in the city, so we want you to motor to the island and take luncheon with us. We hope to have a lively time. Be sure to come.

Your nephew,

Edward.

2. A messenger, from the manufacturing plant, sent us an immense bunch of lilies.

"Let your enemies' blame be like a bitter medicine, to be used as a means to know yourself."

The needle of the compass always points to the north, so does love of our neighbor point the way to heaven.

3. There is nothing like a library of good books to keep children interested and out of mischief. We are obliged to get some new books for them. Too many exciting stories, in my judgment, are harmful. I shall buy a loose-leaf set on Nature; it is always up to date.

91	92	93
odd	omit	ordered
offense	omitted	ordering
offer	one-half	ourselves
offering	opening	outfit
officer	order	overlooked

94	95	96
owing	palm	passing
owned	parent	patient
oyster	parties	pattern
package	partly	paying
painter	passed	payment

97	98	99
peace	perhaps	placing
penalty	period	played
penance	pieces	pleasant
pending	pipe	pleased
perfect	pity	pleasing

100	101	102
pleasure	pools	powder
plus	position	power
poem	postage	prairie
poet	postal	praise
police	potatoes	preparation

103	104	105
preparing	prisoner	proof
president	problem	protect
pride	produce	protest
primary	product	proved
printing	prompt	public

106	107	108
punish	quickly	raining
pupil	quite	raised
purgatory	rack	raising
putting	radio	ranch
question	railway	range

REVIEW

offense	penance	prairie
offering	pieces	preparation
omitted	played	proof
owned	pleasant	proved
patient	poem	purgatory
pattern	potatoes	putting

question quite

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. If we are patient and make an offering to God of every offense toward us, we have done real penance, and are making preparation for a shorter stay in purgatory.

2. We had quite a pleasant time at the surprise party. A number of fine pieces of music were played; a poem of Joyce Kilmer's was read; luncheon served, and no question about its quality. Nothing was omitted that could prove a pleasure to the guests. A proof of this is the time we left for home.

3. Father owned a prairie ranch. He raised potatoes on a small patch of it. Many others have taken pattern from him and are now raising them for their own use. Father is putting a wire fence around the orchard.

109	110	111
rapid	receive	religion
reaches	recite	remainder
really	recover	remind
rear	reduce	removed
reason	refuse	repeat

112	113	114
reply	return	risk
request	reward	rosary
reserve	rid	rushed
result	rifle	rye
retire	rise	Sabbath

115	116	117
sacramental	sandwich	scratch
saddle	sash	screen
sailed	scissors	seal
sake	score	search
sanctifying	scrap	season

118	119	120
self	servant	several
sense	serve	shelter
separate	serving	shepherd
serious	setting	shopping
sermon	settle	shortly

121	122	123
shoulder	signed	sincerely
shovel	silent	sixteen
showed	silly	sixth
shown	simple	sketch
sickness	sincere	skirt

124	125	126
sleepy	sneeze	southern
sleet	snowed	sow
slipper	soil	speaker
slippery	somehow	speaking
smaller	sort	speed

REVIEW

reaches	rosary	search
really	Sabbath	separate
receive	sacramental	serious
religion	saddle	serving
removed	sandwich	shepherd
rifle	scissors	shoulder
signed		sincerely

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Serving the sick on the Sabbath was not forbidden. You cannot separate religion from your life's duties and be really happy.

   A good shepherd goes in search of his lost sheep, and when he finds it, carries it home on his shoulder.

2. Our little boy reaches for every bright object. Father sees that the rifle and the scissors are removed, so that nothing serious may happen to the boy.

   Saddle your horse, put a sandwich in your pocket, and take a ride into the open country. When you return home, you will be in better spirits to read all the letters you receive. Some will be signed, Yours sincerely.

3. The rosary is a string of beads, blessed and used as a sacramental.

My Beads:

"Many and many a time in grief
My weary fingers have wandered 'round
Thy circled chain, and always found
In some Hail Mary sweet relief."

—*Rev. Abram Ryan.*

127	128	129
spiritual	stack	steamer
spite	stamped	steel
sport	starting	stock
sprang	stating	stopped
square	steak	stranger

130	131	132
stream	strip	subject
strength	studied	sudden
stretch	studies	supplies
strict	stuff	supply
strike	style	suppose

133	134	135
swear	tax	term
sweater	taxes	text
tailor	telegram	thankful
tank	telegraph	themselves
taught	tender	thief

136	137	138
thieves	thrown	tract
thirteen	tile	training
though	tobacco	travel
threw	towel	treat
throat	trace	Trinity

139	140	141
tripped	tumble	unpaid
trouble	twenty-five	upper
truly	ugly	useful
trust	umbrella	using
truth	understood	vain

142	143	144
valley	visible	walking
value	visited	wall
velvet	wage	waste
view	waist	weigh
village	waiting	weight

REVIEW

spiritual	suppose	travel
square	taught	trouble
stopped	telegram	Yours truly
strength	thief	view
studied	thieves	visible
supplies	though	waist
waiting		weight

DICTATION EXERCISES

New York, Jan. 7, 1926.

My dear Son,

I shall travel west next June. I would like to take you with me. We are taught many things by travel. You will get a good view of the country and see how it supplies food to its people.

Suppose you stopped some play, studied a little more, took the trouble to be on the square with yourself and me, then be ready to come with me.

I shall be waiting for your teacher's report about June 1st, though you will know before that if I am to send you a telegram to come.

Your loving
Father.

2. It is a visible fact that we all know: If you keep company with thieves, you are, or soon will be, a thief.

3. Strength of body is not reckoned by your waist measure or your weight. Spiritual strength of soul is measured by the depth of your love for God.

145	146	147
welcome	whom	within
western	whose	worn
whatever	winner	worry
wherever	wireless	worse
whether	wisdom	worshiped

148	149
worst	wrist
worthy	yield
wraps	younger
wreath	yours
wreck	yourselves

REVIEW

beginning	trouble	whose
business	truly	worshiped
instead	Wednesday	worst
loose	wherever	wreath
separate	whether	wreck
their books	whom	wrist
yield		yourselves

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. From the beginning, man was taught that God alone was to be worshiped.

Upon whose shrine shall we place our wreath of lilies? Upon the grave of the hero of the wreck. Keep yourselves ready to honor him to whom honor is due.

2. "What looks to thy dim eyes a stain
In God's pure light may only be
A scar, brought from some well-won field,
Where thou wouldst only faint and yield."

"Judge Not"—Adelaide Procter.

3. The worst business is minding other people's business.

There would be less trouble if pupils had separate desks in which to keep their books.

Truly, wherever we go, whether we like it or not, we have some sorrows mixed with many joys.

The clasp of your wrist-watch is loose.

Our spelling test will be on Tuesday instead of Wednesday.

SPECIAL WORDS REFERENCE LIST

This is a list of 311 words selected from those studied in second, third, and fourth grades. It will be found on pages 150 to 153. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

REFERENCE LIST

This list contains all the words studied in grades four and five. It contains also second and third grade words which give trouble. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

able
abroad
absent
absolution
absolve
abstain
accident
account
ache
acknowledge
acre
action
actor
added
adding
addition
address
adore
advise
affection
afraid
afterwards
again
against
age
agree
ahead
aid
aim
aisle
alley
allow
allowance
allowed
all right
almighty
almost
already
altar
although
always
American
among
amount
angel
angry
animal
ankle

anoint
answer
answered
answering
any
anybody
anyhow
anyone
anywhere
apart
apiece
apostle
appear
approve
archangel
archbishop
arithmetic
army
around
arrest
art
artist
ascend
aside
assistant
attend
August
backed
badly
baking
banana
banker
banking
baptism
baptize
barley
barrel
base
baseball
basketball
battle
bay
beach
bean
bearing
beaten
beautiful
beauty
because
beef
been
beet
beggar
beginning
being
believe
believing
bench
berry
beside
Bethlehem
between
beyond
Bible
bicycle
bigger
biggest
bind
birth
birthday
biscuit
bishop
blank
blanket
blessed
bloom
blossom
blue
bluff
board
boiler
booklet
booster
borrow
boss
bother
bottle
bottom
bough
bought
bound
bowl
bracelet

braid
brain
branch
branches
brand
break
breakfast
breaking
breath
bridge
bringing
broad
broken
broom
brought
bruise
brush
buggy
build
building
built
bulk
bunch
bundle
buried
burn
burst
bury
bus
bushel
business
busy
butcher
button
buy
buyer
buying
cabbage
calf
called
calling
calves
candles
canoe
capital
captain
cared
careful
carpet
carriage
carried
cash
catechism
Catholic
cattle
caught
cause
cedar
celery
center
chain
chalk
chance
change
changed
changing
chapel
charge
charging
charity
chart
cheap
cheaper
check
cheer
cheerful
cherries
children
chill
chimney
choice
choir
choose
choosing
chop
chose
chrism
Christ
Christian
Christmas
cigar
circle
circus

cities
claim
classes
clay
cleaned
cleaner
clearly
clerk
climate
cloak
closed
closely
closer
closing
clothes
clothing
cloudy
coach
coast
coasting
cocoa
coffee
collar
collect
color
colt
comes
coming
commandment
commit
committed
common
Communion
companies
company
composition
conception
concert
confessi n
confessor
confirm
Confirmation
consecrate
contain
contrition
copies
copy
cord
corner
correct
cottage
cotton
cough
could
country
county
couple
cousin
covered
covering
coward
crawl
crazy
creamery
creator
creature
credit
creed
creep
crop
crowd
crowded
crucified
crucifix
cupboard
cure
curl
currant
cute
cutting
daily
dainty
dairy
daisy
damage
damnation
damp
dancing
dandy
dangerous
dark
darling
dash

dated
daughter
dealer
dear
dearest
dearly
death
deer
delay
delight
delightful
deliver
dentist
deportment
depot
depth
describe
desert
deserve
desire
destroy
devil
dew
diamond
died
difference
different
direct
direction
discover
discovered
dismiss
disobedience
disobey
dispose
distance
divide
divine
division
doctor
doctrine
dodge
does
dollar
done
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double
doubt
dozen
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dream
dressed
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drill
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dropped
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drown
drowned
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dull
dumb
during
dust
duties
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dying
early
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ease
easier
easily
Easter
easy
edge
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elevation
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eleventh
else
ember
enemies
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engine
English

enjoy
enjoyed
enough
enter
envy
equal
eraser
errand
escape
eternal
eternity
Evangelist
evening
every
everybody
everyone
everything
everywhere
examine
example
except
exchange
exciting
excuse
exercise
explain
express
extend
extra
Extreme Unction
fact
factory
fail
failed
fairy
faithful
false
falsehood
family
famous
fare
farmer
farther
fasten
fault
favor
fear
feather
February
feeling
fern
fever
few
field
fifteen
fifth
fifty
fight
figure
file
filing
filled
filling
film
finest
finger
finish
finished
fishing
fitted
fitting
fixed
flesh
flight
flood
floor
flow
folks
follow
followed
fool
foolish
football
forbidden
force
forenoon
forest
forever
forgive
forgiven
forgiveness
form
formed

former
fort
forty
forward
fought
foul
fountain
fourteen
fourth
frame
frank
frankly
freeze
French
fresh
friend
friendly
frighten
froze
fry
fuel
fullest
funeral
furnace
furnish
furniture
further
future
gain
gained
gallon
garment
gather
gentle
gentleman
geography
germ
German
getting
ghost
gift
given
giving
gladly
glasses
globe
glove
goldfish
golf
good-bye
goose
Gospel
grab
grain
grandfather
grandma
grant
grave
gravy
graze
grease
greater
greatest
greeting
grew
grief
grieve
grievous
groceries
grocery
group
grove
grown
guard
guardian
guess
guest
guide
guilty
habit
half
hallowed
Hallowe'en
halves
hammer
handed
handkerchief
handle
handled
handling
handsome
handy
happen

happened
hardly
hardware
hare
harm
harness
harvest
having
health
healthy
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hearing
heat
heaven
heavy
heel
height
heirs
helpful
hereafter
higher
highest
history
holiday
holiness
Holy Ghost
homesick
honest
honesty
honey
honor
hook
hoped
hoping
hose
hospital
hotel
hour
housekeeping
hug
human
humble
hundred
hungry
hurried
hurry
husband
hymn
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idea
idle
illness
image
immortal
important
improve
improved
inches
indeed
industry
innocence
innocent
inspect
instead
intend
interest
invite
inviting
iron
ironing
island
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itself
ivory
jail
January
jar
jewel
job
join
joke
journey
joyful
joyous
jubilee
judge
judgment
junior
junk
just
justice

justify
kettle
kid
killed
kindly
kindness
kingdom
kisses
kitchen
knee
kneel
knew
knot
know
knowing
known
lack
lad
ladder
ladies
laid
lamb
language
lap
largely
lately
later
latest
laugh
laughed
laundry
law
lawn
lead
leader
lean
leap
learn
learned
learning
least
leather
leaves
leaving
led
length
less
lesson
letting
level
library
lift
lightning
likely
lilies
limb
linen
lining
lion
list
listen
lively
liver
living
loaded
locate
lock
lodge
lonesome
loose
Lord
lose
losing
loss
lovely
loving
lovingly
lower
loyal
luck
lucky
lumber
luncheon
lungs
lying
mad
madam
mail
main
making
manners
manual
manufacture

manufacturing
many
map
maple
mar
marble
market
marriage
married
martyr
master
mate
maybe
meal
meaning
meant
meantime
measure
medal
medicine
meeting
mend
mental
merry
messenger
metal
middle
might
mile
mind
minister
minute
mischief
missed
misses
mistake
mix
model
modest
moment
money
monkey
monthly
mortal
mostly
motion
motor
mountain
moved
movies
moving
much
music
namely
narrow
nation
nature
naughty
navy
nearer
nearly
needed
needle
neighbor
neither
nerve
news
newspaper
nicely
nickel
niece
nineteen
ninth
noisy
none
northern
noted
notice
notion
nurse
oath
obedience
obedient
obey
object
oblige
obliged
occasion
ocean
o'clock
odd
offense
offer

offering
office
officer
often
omit
omitted
once
one-half
onion
opened
opening
orange
orchard
order
ordered
ordering
organ
original
ought
ourselves
outfit
overcoat
overlooked
owe
owing
owned
owner
oyster
package
pain
painter
pair
palm
parent
parish
parties
partly
passed
passing
past
pastor
patch
patient
pattern
paying
payment
peace
pearl
penalty
penance
pending
penny
people
perfect
perhaps
period
phone
piano
picnic
picture
piece
pieces
pillow
pine
pipe
pity
placing
plain
plan
played
pleasant
pleased
pleasing
pleasure
plenty
plus
poem
poet
poison
police
pools
position
postage
postal
post card
post office
potato
potatoes
pour
powder
power
prairie
praise

prayer
preach
preparation
prepare
preparing
president
press
price
pride
priest
primary
print
printing
prison
prisoner
problem
produce
product
program
promise
prompt
proof
proper
protect
protest
prove
proved
public
pulpit
pumpkin
punish
pupil
pure
purgatory
putting
quarrel
quart
quarter
queer
question
quick
quickly
quiet
quit
quite
race
radio
railroad
railway
raining
rainy
raise
raised
raising
rake
ranch
range
rapid
raw
reached
reaches
read
ready
really
rear
reason
receive
recess
recite
recover
Redeemer
reduce
refuse
religion
remain
remainder
remember
remind
remove
removed
repeat
reply
report
request
reserve
result
retail
retain
retire
return
reward
rid
rifle

rise
risk
river
roof
root
rosary
rough
rule
running
rush
rushed
rust
rye
Sabbath
sacrament
sacramental
saddle
safety
said
sail
sailed
sailor
sake
sale
salvation
sanctifying
sandwich
Santa Claus
sash
saucer
saving
Savior
says
scissors
score
scout
scrap
scratch
screen
seal
search
season
second
secret
seeing
seemed
seems
self
sense
sentence
separate
September
serious
sermon
servant
serve
serving
setting
settle
seventh
seventy
several
sew
shape
share
sheet
shelter
shepherd
shine
shoes
shook
shopping
shortly
should
shoulder
shovel
showed
shown
sickness
sight
sign
signed
silent
silly
silver
simple
since
sincere
sincerely
single
sinning
sitting
sixteen
sixth
sixty
size

skating
sketch
skirt
sleepy
sleet
sleigh
slept
slipper
slippery
smaller
snap
sneeze
snowed
soap
socks
soil
soldier
some
somebody
somehow
someone
something
somewhere
son
sooner
sore
sort
soul
sound
sour
southern
sow
spare
speak
speaker
speaking
speech
speed
spirit
spiritual
spite
spoke
sport
sprang
spread
square
squirrel
stack
stage
stair
stamp
stamped
starting
state
stating
station
statue
stayed
steak
steam
steamer
steel
stiff
stir
stirred
stock
stopped
stories
straight
strange
stranger
straw
stream
strength
stretch
strict
strip
strong
struck
studied
studies
study
stuff
style
subject
sudden
suffering
sugar
suit
sum
sunshine
supper
supplies
supply
suppose
sure

surprise
swear
sweat
sweater
swell
swimming
tack
tailor
tank
taste
taught
tax
taxes
tea
teach
team
tear
telegram
telegraph
telephone
temple
temptation
tend
tender
tenth
term
test
text
thankful
Thanksgiving
their
themselves
there
they
thick
thief
thieves
thirteen
though
thought
thousand
thread
threw
throat
through
thrown
tile
thumb
thunder
ticket
tire
tired
tobacco
together
tomorrow
ton
tongue
tonight
too long
torn
touch
toward
towel
trace
track
tract
trade
training
travel
treat
tried
Trinity
trip
tripped
trouble
truly
trunk
trust
truth
Tuesday
tumble
turkey
twelve
twenty
twenty-five
twice
two (2)
ugly
umbrella
understand
understood
unless
unpaid
until
upon
upper

used
useful
using
vacation
vain
valley
value
velvet
venial
very
vessel
view
village
virgin
virtue
visible
visit
visited
visitor
vote
wages
waist
waiting
walking
wall
war
waste
watch
weak
wear
weather
wedding
Wednesday
week
weigh
weight
welcome
western
whatever
wheat
whenever
where
wherever
whether
which
whistle
whistling
whole
whom
whose
wide
wife
wild
winner
wire
wireless
wisdom
wise
witch
within
woman
women
yourselves
wonder
wonderful
wool
woolen
worm
worn
worry
worse
worship
worshiped
worst
worth
worthy
would
wound
woven
wraps
wreath
wreck
wrist
write
writing
written
wrong
wrote
yesterday
yield
young
younger
yours
yourself

SIXTH GRADE

Can you make a record of 100% on the following second, third, fourth, and fifth grade words?

ache
again
answer
any
built
color
coming
could
does
enough
forty
heard
none
often
separate
through
though
tired
tonight
women

1	2	3 .
absence	administer	advice
abstinence	admire	affectionate
accept	admit	afford
active	adopt	agriculture
addressed	advance	altogether

4	5	6
ample	appeal	arctic
amusement	appetite	arrive
ancient	applied	article
annunciation	apply	ascension
anxious	approved	assist

7	8	9
attack	aware	bass
attempt	awful	belief
attention	baggage	Benediction
attribute	balance	blizzard
authority	bargain	booth

10	11	12
breast	burglar	canned
breathe	busily	capture
breeze	calendar	carpenter
brief	calm	carrier
bucket	cancel	cashier

13	14	15
cassock	central	certainly
ceiling	cereal	chairman
celebrate	ceremonies	channel
cellar	ceremony	chapter
cement	certain	character

16	17	18
charitable	chores	coarse
checked	chorus	coin
chief	circumcision	collection
chisel	citizen	colored
chocolate	clever	comfort

REVIEW

absence	approved	cashier
abstinence	ascension	ceiling
addressed	awful	ceremonies
altogether	belief	certain
amusement	breathe	character
anxious	burglar	chisel
chorus		colored

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The ceremonies of the Lord's Ascension were simple; but oh, how grand in Heaven; what a mighty chorus of angelic voices greeted Him at His entrance on Ascension Day! His joys were the reward of His abstinence from earthly joys.

2. Breathe deeply for a while and think as deeply:
Your character is what you are.
Your reputation is what is said of you.

Your parents have not approved altogether of that rough form of amusement. They are anxious about your long absence from study, and have addressed me about it.

3. It is certain that the cashier had some awful moments as he watched the burglar coming through a window in the ceiling. A chisel was found near this window. It is the cashier's belief that the burglar used it to raise the window, which is of colored glass.

19	20	21
command	complain	conclude
commemorate	complete	conduct
commence	conceal	confined
committing	conceive	connect
communicate	conceived	consecration

22	23	24
consent	construction	contract
consider	containing	control
considering	contempt	corrected
consist	contest	course
constant	continue	court

25	26	27
crew	curate	debt
cripple	cushion	deceive
crippled	custom	decide
crucifixion	customer	decline
cruel	dealing	decorate

28	29	30
decree	delivered	described
defeated	delivery	description
degree	depending	deserved
deity	descend	dessert
delayed	descent	devoted

31	32	33
devout	disguise	divinity
devoutly	disposition	drama
dictionary	distant	drawn
disease	district	dread
disgrace	divided	driven

34	35	36
due	education	enclose
duly	elected	enclosing
earlier	election	engineer
earning	electric	enjoying
eastern	embarrass	enlighten

REVIEW

commence	cruel	dessert
conceived	custom	dictionary
considering	deceive	disguise
continue	decorate	earlier
corrected	deity	electric
crucifixion	delivered	embarrass
enclosing	engineer	

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Crucifixion was a cruel form of death inflicted on great criminals. Although innocent, Christ was crucified.

   Use your dictionary to find the meaning of the word deity.

2. It is a home custom to decorate the table with flowers and electric candles, and end the meal with a dessert of fruit or sweet meats.

   You cannot disguise yourself from me; so do not try to deceive.

   Someone in Chicago, considering its number of automobiles, conceived the idea of building a drive along the lake front for the use of machines only. The engineer now working on this drive says, if they continue as they are now working, it will not be completed earlier than 1936.

3.

New York, N. Y.,
June 20, 1926.

Dear Madam:

We are enclosing your paper on "Catholic Ceremonies." It may embarrass you some to have it returned, but it must be corrected and delivered to our office by July 15 if we are to commence work on it before August.

Very truly yours,
John Davis & Co.

37	38	39
enroll	entrance	evident
enrollment	epistle	exact
entered	error	exactly
entertain	establish	examination
entirely	Eucharist	excellent

40	41	42
excited	explained	factor
expecting	explanation	factories
expel	expressed	failure
expert	extended	fairly
expired	extent	faithfully

43	44	45
fancy	fee	firm
fashion	female	flavor
fatal	fierce	folder
favored	figured	following
feature	final	fond

46	47	48
forced	foundation	furnished
forgotten	friendship	gaining
forth	frigid	garage
fortieth	fully	gasoline
fortune	fund	general

49	50	51
gentlemen	gown	groan
girdle	grammar	growth
goodness	greatly	guessed
government	grievance	habitual
governor	grit	haul

52	53	54
hauled	however	improving
headache	humility	include
heresy	ignorant	including
hoarse	Immaculate Conception	increase
honestly	importance	increasing

REVIEW

enrollment	fierce	government
entered	following	grammar
Eucharist	forgotten	guessed
excellent	fortieth	hoarse
factories	friendship	Immaculate Conception
favored	gasoline	improving
	including	increasing

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The Holy Eucharist is the most excellent of all the sacraments. By means of Holy Communion, a close friendship is formed between God and our souls.

   Mary, the most favored of God's children, was conceived without sin. This privilege is called her Immaculate Conception. It should not be forgotten that this feast is a holy day.

2. I am glad the fierce winds, following the heavy rains, have cleared away the dampness. All week I have been hoarse from it.

Business is improving in many cities of the south, because their city governments have given land, including water power, to all who will build factories.

Be careful when you use gasoline.

3. When my father entered the parochial school of his parish the enrollment was ninety. Now it is over eleven hundred and is increasing yearly. The fortieth closing exercises were very good.

You guessed right that the word grammar is often misspelled.

55	56	57
indulgence	inquire	instruct
infinite	insist	intercede
inform	inspector	intercession
inherit	instant	interested
injure	institute	interesting
58	**59**	**60**
invisible	jealously	justification
invitation	Jerusalem	knit
invoice	joined	labor
item	journal	latter
jealous	juice	laziness

61	62	63
lease	limit	lonely
ledge	listed	machine
legal	local	maid
leper	location	manage
liberty	lone	manager

64	65	66
marry	memory	miracle
matrimony	mention	moderate
mayor	merely	moral
measles	mighty	movement
member	million	musical

67	68	69
mysteries	Nazareth	nephew
mystery	necessary	ninety
national	neglect	noble
native	negro	notify
natural	neighborhood	novice

70	71	72
objection	omission	oversight
obstacles	ordained	parable
occasionally	ordinary	particular
occupy	orphan	patience
offered	outline	pavement

REVIEW

indulgence	laziness	mysteries
infinite	machine	necessary
inquire	manager	neighborhood
instant	measles	occasionally
jealous	merely	offered
journal	miracle	ordinary

parable particular

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. When our Savior gave sight to the man born blind, He worked a miracle. God is infinite in all His works.

The sacred mysteries of the Mass are being offered at this instant at some place in the world.

The parable was the ordinary way by which our Savior taught the people. Children, in particular, love the Parable of the Good Shepherd.

2. Schools are occasionally closed when many children in the neighborhood have measles. Merely to protect others makes this necessary.

The manager of the "Daily Journal" sees from my letters that I need a new machine.

3. "Laziness travels so slowly that poverty soon overtakes him."

—*Benjamin Franklin.*

A jealous person carries within him a serpent that gnaws at his very heart, still, "He is lifeless that is faultless."

73	74	75
per cent	pilgrimage	poetry
perfectly	plague	possible
performed	plainly	practice
permit	planned	practicing
pertaining	pledge	preacher

76	77	78
prefer	principal	promised
prepared	process	promotion
presence	produced	properly
presented	production	prophet
priced	profit	provide

79	80	81
providence	purse	rate
providing	puzzle	rather
psalm	raisin	reaching
publish	rank	rebel
purpose	raspberries	rebelled

82	83	84
recall	recipe	refreshment
receipt	record	refund
received	recovered	region
recent	redemption	regret
recently	reduction	regretting

85	86	87
regular	remained	repair
relation	remark	replying
relationship	remembered	rescue
relative	remembering	respect
relief	renew	respectfully

88	89	90
respond	ruin	sanctuary
reverend	sacrifice	satisfied
review	sacrilege	satisfy
route	sample	saucy
royal	sanctity	scale

REVIEW

perfectly	providence	recovered
pilgrimage	psalm	relief
practicing	raspberries	remembered
presence	rebelled	respectfully
principal	receipt	reverend
prophet	received	sacrilege
sanctuary		satisfied

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. We are perfectly satisfied that a religious pilgrimage to the Sanctuary of Our Lady in Lourdes, France, is pleasing to God. There, many blind have received sight, health has been restored to the sick, and relief given to many others. In the presence of such wonders, faith has come to many persons.

2. David, the royal prophet, composed a psalm in which he lamented the death of his son, Absalom, who had rebelled against him.

We remembered that the Reverend Pastor spoke of the providence of God.

3. It was a sacrilege to have destroyed so many churches during the late war.

Get a receipt of payment for that crate of raspberries.

The principal of the school has had the children practicing this closing: "Yours respectfully."

91	92	93
scapulars	secure	settlement
scarce	select	shame
scene	service	shipped
Scripture	servile	shipping
scruples	settled	shock

94	95	96
simply	solemn	sovereign
situation	solid	special
slander	somewhat	sponsor
slight	sorrow	standard
smooth	source	starve

97	98	99
stated	student	success
steady	stunt	successful
steep	submit	sufficient
stomach	submitted	superintendent
strawberries	succeed	superior

100	101	102
supernatural	swallow	testament
support	tanning	theater
supreme	tear	therefore
surface	temporal	thirsty
surprised	terrible	throughout

103	104	105
thus	traffic	trial
tickled	traveling	unable
title	treatment	understand
total	tremble	union
township	trespass	unity

106	107	108
urge	violin	weary
useless	visiting	wed
usual	voluntary	weekly
victim	wealth	weighed
vinegar	wearing	willing

REVIEW

scapulars	stomach	temporal
scruples	succeed	thirsty
settled	successful	throughout
solemn	sufficient	traveling
sovereign	superintendent	trespass
sponsor	surprised	victim

wealth wearing

DICTATION EXERCISES

Since the Church permits it, we need not have any scruples about wearing scapular medals.

Solemn prayers are said every day for the spiritual and temporal good of the Pope, the greatest sovereign on earth.

2. Traveling may become a fine "Book of Knowledge" for those who use their eyes and ears.

Drink water when thirsty. The stomach is often the victim of harmful drinks.

It is settled that we will sponsor the choir boys' outing. Let neither wealth nor fashion trespass on these camping grounds.

3. The superintendent was not surprised to find that the successful students were those who gave sufficient time, throughout the term, to study, even though they lost some amusement thereby. They deserved to succeed.

109	110	111
wondering	wrinkled	youthful
worthily	writer	zeal
wrapped	yearly	zealous
wrath	yoke	zero
wrinkle	youth	zone

REVIEW

already	early	Wednesday
always	February	whether
beginning	friend	which
believe	lose a dollar	worthily
business	meant	wrapped
cough	their books	wrinkle
youth	zealous	

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. "In the days of my youth
I remembered that youth could not last;
I thought of the future, whatever I did
That I never might grieve for the past."

—*Robert Southey.*

2. We are beginning to know that fresh air will do more for a cough than sitting by the grate-fire, wrapped in blankets. Which course do you intend to follow?

"Laughter makes good blood and keeps off wrinkles."

—*An Italian Proverb.*

3. Believe me, business men are most zealous. Whether early or late, they are on the watch. They are not willing to lose a dollar. Their books are carefully examined. My friend, such business methods may be worthily imitated. I meant to tell you that I open business the first Wednesday in February.

SPECIAL WORDS REFERENCE LIST

This is a list of 311 words selected from those studied in second, third, and fourth grades. It will be found on pages 150 to 153. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

REFERENCE LIST

This list contains all the words studied in grades five and six. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

abroad
absence
absent
absolution
absolve
abstain
abstinence
accept
accident
account
ache
acknowledge
acre
action
active
actor
adding
addition
address
addressed
administer
admire
admit
adopt
advance
advice
advise
affection
affectionate
afford
afterwards
against
agree
agreed
agriculture
aid
aim
aisle
allowance
allowed
all right
although
altogether
American
amount
ample
amusement
ancient
angry
annunciation
anoint
answered
answering
anxious

anybody
apart
apostle
appeal
appear
appetite
applied
apply
approve
approved
archangel
archbishop
arctic
arithmetic
army
arrest
arrive
article
artist
ascend
ascension
assist
assistant
attack
attempt
attend
attention
attribute
author
authority
automobile
avenue
average
aware
awful
backed
baggage
balance
banking
baptism
baptize
bargain
barley
barrel
base
baseball
basketball
bass
beaten
beauty
beef
beggar
being
belief
bench
Benediction
beside
beyond
Bible
bicycle
bind
birth
biscuit
blank
blanket
blizzard
bloom
boiler
booklet
booth
borrow
bough
bound
brain
branches
breaking
breast
breathe
breeze
brief
broad
bruise
bucket
building
bulk
burglar
buried
burst
busily
business
button
buyer
calendar

called
calling
calm
cancel
candles
canned
canoe
capital
captain
capture
cared
carpenter
carrier
cash
cashier
cassock
cause
cedar
ceiling
celebrate
celery
cellar
cement
central
cereal
ceremonies
ceremony
certain
certainly
chairman
changing
channel
chapel
chapter
character
charge
charging
charitable
chart
cheaper
check
checked
cheerful
cherries
chief
chill
chisel
chocolate
choice
chop
chores
chorus
chose
cigar
circumcision
cities
citizen
claim
clay
cleaner
clearly
clerk
clever
climate
closely
closing
clothes
coach
coarse
coast
coasting
cocoa
coin
collect
collection
colored
comfort
command
commemorate
commence
committed
committing
common
communicate
Communion
companies
complain
complete
composition
conceal
conceive
conceived
conception

concert
conclude
conduct
confined
connect
consecrate
consecration
consent
consider
considering
consist
constant
construction
contain
containing
contempt
contest
continue
contract
contrition
control
copies
correct
corrected
cottage
county
couple
course
court
covering
coward
crawl
crazy
creamery
credit
creed
crew
cripple
crippled
crowded
crucified
crucifix
crucifixion
cruel
curate
cure
currant
curtain
cushion
custom
customer
daily
dainty
dairy
daisy
damage
damnation
dancing
dandy
dangerous
daughter
dealer
dealing
death
debt
deceive
decide
decline
decorate
decree
defeated
degree
deity
delayed
delight
delightful
deliver
delivered
delivery
dentist
depending
deportment
depot
depth
descend
descent
describe
described
description
desert
deserved
desire
dessert

destroy
devoted
devout
devoutly
dew
dictionary
difference
different
direct
direction
discover
discovered
disease
disgrace
disguise
dismiss
disobedience
dispose
disposition
distance
distant
district
divided
divine
divinity
division
doctrine
dodge
doubt
drama
drawn
dread
dresser
drill
driven
drowned
due
dull
duly
dumb
during
duties
duty
earlier
earn
earnest
earning
ease
easily
Easter
eastern
edge
education
eighteen
either
elect
elected
election
electric
elevation
eleventh
embarrass
ember
enclose
enclosing
enemies
enemy
engineer
English
enjoy
enjoyed
enjoying
enlighten
enroll
enrollment
entered
entertain
entirely
entrance
envy
epistle
equal
eraser
errand
error
escape
establish
eternity
Eucharist
Evangelist
everywhere
evident
exact

exactly
examination
examine
example
excellent
except
exchange
excited
exciting
exercise
expecting
expel
expert
expired
explained
explanation
express
expressed
extend
extended
extent
extra
Extreme Unction
factor
factories
factory
failed
failure
fairly
faithful
faithfully
famous
fancy
farther
fashion
fasten
fatal
fault
favor
favored
fear
feather
feature
fee
female
fern
fierce
fifteen
fifth
figured
file
filing
film
final
finest
finished
firm
fitted
fitting
fixed
flavor
flesh
flight
flood
flow
folder
followed
following
fond
foolish
force
forced
forenoon
forest
forgiveness
forgotten
form
formed
former
forth
fortieth
fortune
forward
foul
foundation
fountain
fourteen
frame
frankly
friendly
friendship
frighten
frigid

fuel
fullest
fully
fund
funeral
furnace
furnish
furnished
furniture
further
future
gained
gaining
garage
garment
gasoline
gather
general
gentleman
gentlemen
geography
germ
German
girdle
gladly
globe
golf
goodness
goose
government
governor
gown
grammar
grandfather
grave
graze
greatest
greatly
greeting
grief
grievance
grieve
grievous
grip
grit
groan
groceries
group
growth
guessed
guest
guilty
habitual
hallowed
handled
handling
handy
happened
hardware
hare
harness
harvest
haul
hauled
headache
healthy
hearing
height
heirs
helpful
heresy
highest
history
hoarse
holiness
homesick
honestly
hose
hospital
housekeeping
however
human
humility
hurried
hymn
icicle
idea
ignorant
illness
Immaculate Conception
immortal
importance

important
improve
improved
improving
include
including
increase
increasing
indeed
indulgence
industry
infinite
inform
inherit
injure
innocence
innocent
inquire
insist
inspect
inspector
instant
instead
institute
instruct
intend
intercede
intercession
interest
interested
interesting
invisible
invitation
inviting
invoice
ironing
island
item
ivory
jail
jealous
jealously
Jerusalem
joined
joke
journal
journey
joyful
joyous
jubilee
judge
judgment
juice
junior
justification
justify
kindness
knit
labor
lack
largely
lately
latest
latter
laziness
leader
lean
leap
learn
learning
lease
least
ledge
legal
length
leper
level
liberty
library
lightning
likely
lilies
limb
limit
linen
lining
list
listed
lively
loaded
local
locate
location

lodge
lone
lonely
lonesome
loose
loss
lovely
lovingly
loyal
luncheon
machine
mad
madam
maid
main
manage
manager
manual
manufacture
manufacturing
maple
mar
marriage
married
marry
mate
matrimony
mayor
meaning
meantime
measles
medal
medicine
member
memory
mention
merely
messenger
metal
middle
mighty
million
minister
miracle
mischief
misses
model
moderate
moral
motion
motor
mountain
movement
movies
musical
mysteries
mystery
namely
narrow
nation
national
native
natural
navy
Nazareth
nearer
necessary
needed
needle
neglect
negro
neighbor
neighborhood
neither
nephew
nerve
nineteen
ninety
ninth
noble
northern
noted
notice
notify
notion
novice
object
objection
oblige
obliged
obstacles
occasion
occasionally

occupy
odd
offense
offer
offered
offering
officer
omission
omit
omitted
one-half
opening
ordained
order
ordered
ordering
ordinary
orphan
ourselves
outfit
outline
overlooked
oversight
owing
owned
oyster
package
painter
palm
parable
parent
particular
parties
partly
passed
passing
patience
patient
pattern
pavement
paying
payment
peace
penalty
penance
pending
per cent
perfect
perfectly
performed
perhaps
period
permit
pertaining
pieces
pilgrimage
pipe
pity
placing
plague
plainly
planned
played
pleasant
pleased
pleasing
pleasure
pledge
plus
poem
poet
poetry
police
pools
position
possible
postage
postal
potatoes
powder
power
practice
practicing
prairie
praise
preacher
prefer
preparation
prepared
preparing
presence
presented
president

priced
pride
primary
principal
printing
prisoner
problem
process
produce
produced
product
production
profit
promised
promotion
prompt
proof
properly
prophet
protect
protest
proved
provide
providence
providing
psalm
public
publish
punish
pupil
purgatory
purpose
purse
putting
puzzle
question
quickly
quite
rack
radio
railway
raining
raised
raisin
raising
ranch
range
rank
rapid
raspberries
rate
rather
reaches
reaching
really
rear
reason
rebel
rebelled
recall
receipt
receive
received
recent
recently
recipe
recite
record
recover
recovered
redemption
reduce
reduction
refreshment
refund
refuse
region
regret
regretting
regular
relation
relationship
relative
relief
religion
remainder
remained
remark
remembered
remembering
remind
removed
renew

repair
repeat
reply
replying
request
rescue
reserve
respect
respectfully
respond
result
retire
return
reverend
review
reward
rid
rifle
rise
risk
rosary
route
royal
ruin
rushed
rye
Sabbath
sacramental
sacrifice
sacrilege
saddle
sailed
sake
sample
sanctifying
sanctity
sanctuary
sandwich
sash
satisfied
satisfy
saucy
scale
scapulars
scarce
scene
scissors
score
scrap
scratch
screen
Scripture
scruples
seal
search
season
secure
select
self
sense
separate
serious
sermon
servant
serve
service
servile
serving
setting
settle
settled
settlement
several
shame
shelter
shepherd
shipped
shipping
shock
shopping
shortly
shoulder
shovel
showed
shown
sickness
signed
silent
silly
simple
simply
sincere
sincerely

situation
sixteen
sixth
sketch
skirt
slander
sleepy
sleet
slight
slipper
slippery
smaller
smooth
sneeze
snowed
soil
solemn
solid
somehow
somewhat
sorrow
sort
source
southern
sovereign
sow
speaker
speaking
special
speed
spiritual
spite
sponsor
sport
sprang
square
stack
stamped
standard
starting
starve
stated
stating
steady
steak
steamer
steel
steep
stock
stomach
stopped
stranger
strawberries
stream
strength
stretch
strict
strike
strip
student
studied
studies
stuff
stunt
style
subject
submit
submitted
succeed
success
successful
sudden
sufficient
superintendent
superior
supernatural
supplies
supply
support
suppose
supreme
surface
surprised
swallow
swear
sweater
tailor
tank
tanning
taught
tax
taxes
tear

telegram
telegraph
temporal
tender
term
terrible
testament
text
thankful
theater
themselves
therefore
thief
thieves
thirsty
thirteen
though
threw
throat
throughout
thrown
thus
tickled
tile
title
tobacco
total
towel
township
trace
tract
traffic
training
travel
traveling
treat
treatment
tremble
trespass
trial
Trinity
tripped
trouble
truly
trust
truth
tumble
twenty-five
ugly
umbrella
unable
understand
understood
union
unity
unpaid
upper
urge
useful
useless
using
usual
vain
valley
value
velvet
victim
view
village
vinegar
violin
visible
visited
visiting
voluntary
wages
waist
waiting
walking
wall
waste
wealth
wearing
weary
wed
weekly
weigh
weighed
weight
welcome
western
whatever
wherever

whether
whom
whose
willing
winner
wireless
wisdom
within
wondering
worn
worry
worse
worshiped
worst
worthily
worthy
wrapped
wraps
wrath
wreath
wreck
wrinkle
wrinkled
wrist
writer
yearly
yield
yoke
younger
yours
yourselves
youth
youthful
zeal
zealous
zero
zone

SEVENTH GRADE

Can you make a record of 100% on the following words studied in grades two to six inclusive?

absence
altogether
all right
ascension
beginning
belief
business
ceiling
Eucharist
government
grammar
hoarse
occasionally
received
surprised
there
trouble
truly
which
women

1	2	3
absolute	accurate	addresses
acceptance	acquainted	adjust
accepted	acquire	administration
accomplish	actual	admission
according	additional	admitted

4	5	6
adopted	advertising	affectionately
advantage	advisable	agent
adventure	advising	agricultural
advertise	aeroplane	alfalfa
advertisement	affair	alms

7	8	9
ambitious	apostolic	appreciate
announce	appealing	approval
annual	appeared	architect
annually	applicant	area
annul	appoint	arrange

10	11	12
arrival	assurance	attitude
arriving	assure	authorized
assistance	athletics	avoid
associate	attached	await
Assumption	attain	awaiting

13	14	15
awkward	benefit	bureau
banquet	blaspheme	cabinet
barely	blasphemy	cancellation
based	bond	candidate
behalf	burden	canticle

16	17	18
capable	carrying	century
capacity	cathedral	certificate
career	celebrating	chalice
carefully	celebration	chaplain
carnival	censer	chaplet

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acceptance	affectionately	authorized
acquainted	appreciate	blaspheme
acquire	architect	cancellation
advertisement	arrange	carrying
advertising	associate	celebrating
aeroplane	athletics	censer
certificate		chaplain

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The aeroplane is the last word in transportation.

The architect lets his work do his advertising. It is the best advertisement.

The word, cancellation, has other meanings than that given it in arithmetic.

Become acquainted with better form and acquire more speed if you wish a certificate for writing.

2. The Holy Name Society puts a great check on all those who blaspheme the Sacred Name. Associate with its members.

The chaplain was celebrating Solemn High Mass, and handed the censer to the acolyte. He was carrying it to the sacristy when it upset.

3. Athletic Club,
City of Buffalo.
Dear Big Brothers:

We appreciate the action of the Athletic Club who authorized us to use their hall every Tuesday evening. They may be sure of our acceptance and gratitude. We will arrange to be there next Tuesday.

Affectionately yours,
Junior Brothers.

19	20	21
circulation	colonies	commissioner
civics	column	compelled
clergy	comfortable	complaint
college	commerce	completely
colonel	commission	compliment

22	23	24
comply	confer	connection
concern	confidence	conscience
conclusion	confirming	considerable
concrete	congress	consideration
condition	connected	considered

25	26	27
contagious	contrary	convince
contemplated	convenient	coronation
content	convention	corporal
continued	conversation	correction
continuous	convict	correspond

28	29	30
correspondence	covet	crusades
council	credited	crystal
coupon	criticism	current
courage	criticize	curve
courteous	crusts	customary

31	32	33
deacon	declare	demand
deal	deed	democrat
debate	defeat	demonstrated
debating	definite	denomination
decided	deliveries	depend

34	35	36
deposit	developing	diocese
design	difficult	director
despair	diligent	disagreeable
destroyed	dimension	disappear
develop	dining	disappoint

REVIEW

clergy	congress	courteous
colonel	conscience	criticize
colonies	considered	customary
commerce	contagious	deliveries
compelled	corporal	developing
concern	correspondence	diligent

diocese disappear

DICTATION EXERCISES

1 and 2.

Chicago, July 1.

Colonel M. M. Hunt,
Kansas City, Mo.

My dear Friend,

Your conscience should be disturbed to have let this grand Congress pass, and you not here. The courteous reception given not

only to clergy from every diocese, perhaps in the world, but to every person coming to the Eucharistic Congress was remarkable.

The spirit of helpfulness was contagious. Every citizen seemed to make it his diligent concern and considered it his duty to give assistance to everyone. Commerce stood still; even customary deliveries were compelled to give way to traffic. There is nothing to criticize in the way in which Chicago citizens lent themselves to the success of the great Congress. I am sorry you did not let your correspondence rest during those days and come.

Yours sincerely,
Matthew.

3. Serious trouble was developing in the colonies, when Corporal S. V. Simon came on the scene. Then the offending soldiers began to disappear and quiet was restored.

37	38	39
disappointed	disgusted	dogma
disciple	display	dolors
disciples	disposal	domestic
discipline	distribute	doubtless
discount	divorce	dreadful

40	41	42
durable	effect	elegant
dwelling	effort	elsewhere
eager	eighth	employ
earliest	electrical	employed
editor	electricity	enclosed

43	44	45
encourage	enormous	entitle
endeavor	enrolled	entitled
engage	entering	entry
engagement	entertainment	envelope
engineering	entire	equally

46	47	48
equipment	exceed	exclusively
event	exception	exhibit
evidently	exceptional	existing
examined	excess	expense
examiner	excitement	experience

49	50	51
explaining	fallen	federation
exposition	familiar	fiend
expression	fate	fiery
extensive	favorable	figuring
fabric	favorite	finally

52	53	54
foreign	forwarded	furthermore
formal	freedom	generally
formerly	freight	geyser
fortitude	frequent	gland
fortunate	furnishing	glee

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disciple	employed	exclusively
distribute	engagement	familiar
doubtless	entering	fiend
earliest	entitled	fiery
eighth	examined	foreign
electricity	excitement	freight

frequent generally

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Fifty years ago electricity had never been hitched to a wheel. Doubtless, it is now employed more than any other known working power.

Entering any home, electrical machines are so familiar a sight that they cause no excitement in anyone.

The frequent application of electricity makes it generally looked upon as a necessity.

Truly is this age entitled to its name: "The Age of Electricity."

2. The earliest engagement of the Revolutionary War was in Lexington.

The bulk of our foreign imports and exports pass by way of New York. After they are there examined, freight trains and ships carry and distribute them to all parts of the world.

3. Philip was the first disciple to whom the Savior said: "Follow Me."

"Fiend" is a name which should belong exclusively to a person with an uncontrolled, fiery temper.

Some Church feasts have an octave, or an eighth day celebration.

55	56	57
glorious	guarantee	heartily
gluttony	guaranteed	heir
gradual	happiness	hence
graduate	haste	hereby
grateful	headquarters	heresies

58	59	60
heretofore	humor	immediately
honorable	hypocrite	immense
horizon	identify	impediment
household	illustrate	impious
humiliate	imagine	impossible

61	62	63
improvement	income	industrial
incense	increased	infallibility
inclose	indelible	infallible
inclosing	independent	inferior
included	indicate	information

64	65	66
inquiries	instance	intention
inquiring	institution	internal
inquiry	instructor	introduced
insert	instrument	investigate
installed	insured	investment

67	68	69
issue	knowledge	lecture
jewelry	label	liberal
jury	laity	license
justified	Latin	likewise
keen	lawyer	limited

70	71	72
literary	malice	medium
loan	martyrdom	mentioned
machinery	massacre	merchandise
magazine	material	merchant
maintain	maturity	mere

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grateful	immediately	instance
guaranteed	improvement	jewelry
happiness	indelible	knowledge
heir	infallibility	license
honorable	infallible	magazine
hypocrite	inquiry	martyrdom
massacre		merchandise

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The massacre of the Holy Innocents made them the first Martyrs of the Christian Church. Many of the early Christians suffered martyrdom for their faith, for instance, Saints Stephen and Lawrence.

A seventh-grade pupil should be able to explain what is meant by the Infallibility of the Pope, and when he is infallible.

2. There are three sacraments that leave an indelible mark on the soul.

Think of the happiness of being an heir of Christ. How do we show that we are grateful for this honorable title?

Be not like a hypocrite, who thinks one thing and says another.

Jewelry is classed as merchandise. You must secure a license to sell it.

3. To get a knowledge of our religion as well as of the worth-while current events of the day, read a Catholic magazine. A little inquiry and a few cents will immediately bring guaranteed information on every subject.

Improvement of mind rather than muscle should be the aim of life.

"It is good to rub and polish our brain against that of others."

—*Montaigne.*

73	74	75
message	miraculous	morality
meter	missal	movable
method	missionary	museum
military	modern	mysterious
minor	monastery	Nativity

76	77	78
naturally	novena	occur
neglected	obligation	occurred
nervous	observance	odor
nevertheless	obtained	offertory
normal	occupied	opera

79	80	81
operate	overdue	particle
opinion	parcel	particularly
opportunity	parcel post	paschal
opposite	pardon	pastoral
orchestra	partial	paten

82	83	84
patent	percentage	planning
patron	perpetual	plenary
payable	personal	policy
peculiar	petition	popular
penitent	piety	population

85	86	87
portion	prelate	previous
possibly	premium	principle
poultry	presume	private
practical	prevail	probably
preface	prevent	proceed

88	89	90
procession	property	protected
procured	prophecy	publication
profession	proposition	published
profitable	prosperity	purchase
progress	prosperous	purchased

REVIEW

meter	nervous	paten
minor	observance	planning
miraculous	occurred	poultry
missionary	offertory	principle
monastery	orchestra	probably
movable	particularly	profitable

prophecy purchased

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Easter is a movable feast. A missionary had been planning to have the observance of the feast in that year particularly fine. The Indian School Orchestra was to play the Mass. Easter morning, the priest left the monastery before daylight. As he came near the reservation, he saw that the Indians were restless and nervous. The pagan Indians had purchased weapons and had probably planned an attack on the Christian Indians. All feel that their escape from massacre was miraculous.

2. At the offertory in the Mass, the priest places the bread on the paten, a small gold plate.

The prophecy of Daniel gave the exact time of Christ's coming.

"And Satan trembles when he sees
The weakest saint upon his knees."

—*William Cowper* (*Exhortation to Prayer*).

3. Are you able to read your gas or electric meter?

Men of '76 fought for the principle: "No taxation without representation."

The poultry business must be profitable in Georgia. As I traveled, I saw many fine poultry yards throughout the state.

The heir was a minor. His death occurred in his twelfth year.

91	92	93
qualities	reasonable	refer
quotation	receiving	reference
quote	reception	regard
readily	rector	regardless
realize	rectory	regularly

94	95	96
regulation	reliable	render
reign	relieve	renewal
rejoice	religious	repaired
release	remarkable	replace
reliability	remedy	replied

97	98	99
represent	resolve	rheumatism
represented	resource	rite
require	restaurant	rogation
requirement	resurrection	rural
resident	reverence	sacristy

100	101	102
salary	schedule	selected
salesman	science	semester
satisfaction	secretary	seminary
satisfactory	section	senior
scarcely	secured	sepulchre

103	104	105
series	silence	sparkle
severe	slightly	specially
shipment	social	splendid
siege	solemnize	statement
signature	solicit	stationary

106	107	108
storage	subscriber	suicide
straightened	subscription	suitable
strictly	succeeded	supplied
struggle	suffered	supposed
studying	suggest	surplice

REVIEW

receiving	resurrection	science
rector	rheumatism	secretary
religious	sacristy	seminary
repaired	salary	siege
replied	scarcely	statement
requirement	schedule	straightened
studying		succeeded

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The religious ceremonies proper for the feast of the Resurrection were to be held in the seminary. The Reverend Rector and his secretary succeeded in keeping the students from their vacation until after the feast. They have enlarged the seminary sacristy.

2. Are you studying medicine or law?

No science has found a remedy for rheumatism. Its attacks do not come or leave on schedule time.

After the last siege, the officers repaired to headquarters.

The requirements for entering West Point Military Academy are very exacting.

3. I replied to Mr. Thomas that you could scarcely have the statement of accounts straightened out by this time.

What salary are you receiving for this work?

"Memory is the treasurer of the mind."

109	110	111
suspect	temperance	thorough
sweetheart	temperature	timothy
system	terribly	topic
tabernacle	territory	transfer
talent	thereafter	transfiguration

112	113	114
transportation	truant	united
traveler	trusting	unnecessary
tread	type	unusual
treasure	unfortunate	usually
trespasses	uniform	vacant

115	116	117
valid	vigil	welfare
valuable	voter	wholesale
various	voting	withdraw
vegetable	voyage	worried
vicar	weapon	worrying

REVIEW

already	necessary	truant
difference	system	unfortunate
February	tabernacle	usually
grammar	terribly	valuable
guess	thorough	vegetable
height	traveler	vicar

voyage worrying

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Learn this valuable lesson:

Be thorough. Remember, "What is worth doing at all is worth doing well."

Her truant tresses fell over her weary eyes as she studied her grammar.

There is a difference between the vegetable and mineral kingdoms. To which does coal belong?

2. If you wish to get worrying out of your system, take a voyage across the Atlantic. It is not so terribly expensive. While in Europe, do no studying, but go to Rome. Visit the Pope, the Vicar of Christ. It would be unfortunate for the traveler not to have an audience with the Pope. Usually it is necessary to have a friend introduce you. I have already been abroad, but if you wait until February I will go with you.

3. Can you guess the height of the tabernacle erected in Grant Park?

"Nothing great or good can ever be accomplished without labor and toil."

—*Alexander H. Stephens.*

"Press on! There's no such word as fail!
Push nobly on! The goal is near!
Ascend the mountain! Breast the gale!
Look upward, onward,—never fear!"

SPECIAL WORDS REFERENCE LIST

This is a list of 311 words selected from those studied in second, third, and fourth grades. It will be found on pages 150 to 153. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

REFERENCE LIST

This list contains all the words studied in grades five, six and seven. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

abroad
absence
absent
absolute
absolution
absolve
abstain
abstinence
accept
acceptance
accepted
accident
accomplish
according
account
accurate
ache
acknowledge
acquainted
acquire
acre
action
active
actor
actual
adding
addition
additional
address
addressed
addresses
adjust
administer
administration
admire
admission
admit
admitted
adopt
adopted
advance
advantage
adventure
advertise
advertisement
advertising
advice
advisable
advise
advising
aeroplane
affair
affection
affectionate
affectionately
afford
afterwards

against
agent
agree
agreed
agricultural
agriculture
aid
aim
aisle
alfalfa
allowance
allowed
all right
alms
although
altogether
ambitious
American
amount
ample
amusement
ancient
angry
announce
annual
annually
annul
annunciation
anoint
answered
answering
anxious
anybody

apart
apostle
apostolic
appeal
appealing
appear
appeared
appetite
applicant
applied
apply
appoint
appreciate
approval
approve
approved
archangel
archbishop
architect
arctic
area
arithmetic
army
arrange
arrest
arrival
arrive
arriving
article
artist
ascend
ascension
assist

assistance
assistant
associate
Assumption
assurance
assure
athletics
attached
attack
attain
attempt
attend
attention
attitude
attribute
author
authority
authorized
automobile
avenue
average
avoid
await
awaiting
aware
awful
awkward
backed
baggage
balance
banking
banquet
baptism

baptize
barely
bargain
barley
barrel
base
baseball
bases
basketball
bass
beaten
beauty
beef
been
beggar
behalf
being
belief
bench
Benediction
benefit
beside
beyond
Bible
bicycle
bind
birth
biscuit
blank
blanket
blaspheme
blasphemy
blizzard
bloom
boiler
bond
booklet
booth
borrow
bough
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brain
branches
breaking
breast
breathe
breeze
brief
broad
bruise
bucket
building
bulk
burden
bureau
burglar
buried
burst
busily
business
button
buyer
cabinet
calendar
called
calling
calm
cancel
cancellation
candidate
candles
canned
canoe
canticle
capable
capacity
capital
captain
capture
cared
career
carefully
carnival
carpenter
carrier
carrying
cash
cashier
cassock
cathedral
cause
cedar
ceiling
celebrate
celebrating
celebration
celery
cellar
cement

censer
central
century
cereal
ceremonies
ceremony
certain
certainly
certificate
chairman
chalice
changing
channel
chapel
chaplain
chaplet
chapter
character
charge
charging
charitable
chart
cheaper
check
checked
cheerful
cherries
chief
chill
chisel
chocolate
choice
chop
chores
chorus
chose
cigar
circulation
circumcision
cities
citizen
civics
claim
clay
cleaner
clearly
clergy
clerk
clever
climate
closely
closing
clothes
coach
coarse
coast
coasting
cocoa
coin
collect
collection
college
colonel
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colored
column
comfort
comfortable
command
commemorate
commence
commerce
commission
commissioner
committed
committing
common
communicate
Communion
companies
compelled
complain
complaint
complete
completely
compliment
comply
composition
conceal
conceive
conceived
conception
concern
concert
conclude
conclusion
concrete
condition
conduct

confer
confidence
confined
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congress
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connection
conscience
consecrate
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consent
consider
considerable
consideration
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construction
contagious
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containing
contemplated
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control
convenient
convention
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convict
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copies
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correct
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cushion
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dandy
dangerous
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deacon

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Nativity
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patron
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peculiar
penalty
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penitent
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permit
perpetual
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pertaining
petition
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pity
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postage
postal
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poultry
powder
power
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practice
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preface
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prelate
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printing
prisoner
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product
production
profession
profit

profitable
progress
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promotion
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properly
property
prophecy
prophet
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protest
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providence
providing
psalm
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publish
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pupil
purchase
purchased
purgatory
purpose
purse
putting
puzzle

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rogation
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ruin
rural
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Sabbath
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sacristy
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sandwich
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scarce
scarcely
scene
schedule
science
scissors
score
scrap
scratch
screen
Scripture
scruples
seal
search
season
secretary

section
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select
selected
self
semester
seminary
senior
sense
separate
sepulchre
series
serious
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servant
serve
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servile
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setting
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settlement
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severe
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shelter
shepherd
shipment
shipped
shipping
shock

shopping
shortly
shoulder
shovel
showed
shown
sickness
siege
signature
signed
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silly
simple
simply
sincere
sincerely
situation
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skirt
slander
sleepy
sleet
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stationary
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steamer
steel
steep
stock
stomach
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stranger
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stretch
strict
strictly
strike
strip
struggle
student
studied
studies
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stuff
stunt
style
subject
submit
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subscriber
subscription
succeed
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success
successful
sudden
suffered
sufficient
suggest
suicide
suitable
superintendent
superior
supernatural
supplied
supplies
supply
support
suppose
supreme
surface
surplice
surprised
suspect
swallow
swear
sweater
sweetheart
system
tabernacle
tailor
talent
tank
tanning
taught
tax
taxes
tear
telegram
telegraph
temperance
temperature
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terrible
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theater
themselves
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therefore
thief
thieves
thirsty
thirteen
thorough
though
threw
throat
throughout
thrown

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tickled
tile
timothy
title
tobacco
topic
total
towel
township
trace
tract
traffic
training
transfer
transfiguration
transportation
travel
traveler
traveling
tread
treasure
treat
treatment
tremble
trespass
trespasses
trial
Trinity
tripped
trouble
truant
truly
trust
trusting
truth
tumble
twenty-five
type
ugly
umbrella
unable
understand
understanding
understood
unfortunate
uniform
union
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unity
unnecessary
unpaid
unusual
upper
urge
useful
useless
using
usual
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vacant
vain
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valley
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vegetable
velvet
vicar
victim
view
vigil
village
vinegar
violin
visible
visited
visiting
voluntary
voter
voting
voyage
wages
waist
waiting
walking
wall
waste
wealth
weapon
wearing
weary
wed
weekly
weigh
weighed
weight
welcome

welfare
western
whatever
wherever
whether
wholesale
whom
whose
willing
winner
wireless
wisdom
withdraw
within
wondering
worn
worried
worry
worrying
worse
worshiped
worst
worthily
worthy
wrapped
wraps
wrath
wreath
wreck
wrinkle
wrinkled
wrist
writer
yearly
yield
yoke
younger
yours
yourselves
youth
youthful
zeal
zealous
zero
zone

EIGHTH GRADE

Can you make a record of 100% on the following words studied in grades two to seven inclusive?

beginning
business
does
enough
February
grammar
guess
half
hear a sound
many
once
piece
separate
straight
their books
too long
truly
two boys
Wednesday
which

1	2	3
ability	acceptable	accompanying
absolutely	accessory	accordance
abstract	accommodate	accordingly
abundant	accompanied	accounting
academy	accompany	accredited

4	5	6
acknowledging	activity	advanced
acknowledgment	actually	advancement
acolyte	adjourned	advantage
acquaintance	adjustment	affidavit
activities	administrator	afloat

7	8	9
agency	algebra	amendment
agreeable	allege	amice
agreement	allotment	ammunition
alb	alumni	analysis
alcohol	ambition	analyze

10	11	12
anathema	anticipating	appendicitis
angrily	apologize	application
anniversary	apparatus	applying
announcement	apparent	appointment
anticipate	appearance	appreciating

13	14	15
appreciation	ascertain	associated
approximately	assembly	association
argument	assessment	assortment
arrangement	assigned	assume
artificial	assignment	assured

16	17	18
assuring	attraction	available
athlete	attractive	aviator
attacked	audience	awfully
attendance	aureole	ballot
attorney	automatic	balsam

REVIEW

acceptable	analysis	argument
accommodate	analyze	arrangement
acknowledging	angrily	associated
acquaintance	apologize	athlete
alcohol	appearance	attacked
alumni	appreciation	audience
aviator		ballot

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. When a number of associated students enter into an argument before an audience, courtesy requires that no one be angrily attacked for holding to his honest opinions.

The very appearance of an alumnus of this university marks him as an athlete.

2. The law should make some satisfactory arrangement for the proper use of alcohol.

Acknowledging an error is a step towards correcting it.

The time to analyze whether woman should or should not vote is passed. The use of the ballot has been given her, and she need not apologize, but show her appreciation of the privilege by using it.

3. A long acquaintance with the daily press leads to the conclusion that all news items are not acceptable without some analysis.

"Oil and truth will get uppermost at last."

The aviator must accommodate himself to all conditions of the atmosphere.

19	20	21
basis	biretta	brilliant
beatification	bonus	bulletin
behavior	boundary	calculation
beneficent	bounty	campaign
beseech	bouquet	campus

22	23	24
canceled	capitol	catholicity
candidacy	carbon	caution
canon	cartoon	cemetery
canonization	catalogue	centurion
canvass	catalogues	chancellor

25	26	27
changeable	chauffeur	circuit
characteristic	chemistry	circular
charming	Christianity	circumstance
chastity	ciborium	civil
chasuble	cincture	client

28	29	30
clothe	commercial	comparative
code	committee	compare
combination	communication	comparison
commencement	community	compassionate
comment	companion	competition

31	32	33
compliance	congratulate	consequence
conceit	congratulations	consequently
concerning	connecting	conservatory
conference	conquered	considerably
confident	conscientious	constantly

34	35	36
constitution	convinced	cordially
consultation	cooperate	corporation
contemplating	cooperating	corpse
continency	cooperation	correspondent
convenience	cordial	counsel

REVIEW

behavior	canceled	ciborium
boundary	canonization	circuit
bouquet	cemetery	committee
brilliant	changeable	conceit
bulletin	chauffeur	conscientious
campaign	Christianity	convenience
cordially	correspondent	

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The ciborium in the tabernacle contains the consecrated Hosts.

A correspondent wrote me that the canonization of the "Little Flower," at St. Peter's in Rome, was the most brilliant scene she had ever beheld.

The spread of Christianity is due more to the example than to the words of Christ's followers. Have a conscientious regard, then, for your behavior.

2. The school bulletin announced a campaign to raise funds for a gymnasium. For the convenience of the committee on "out-of-town" alumni, you are cordially asked to help furnish addresses.

There is no conceit in knowing what we are able to do.

A U. S. Custom House is near the boundary of Mexico. A short circuit was caused by water entering a pipe in this house.

3. We are truly changeable. Today, we canceled an engagement, and hired a chauffeur to take us to the Verdun Cemetery. On the way we gathered bouquets of wild flowers and placed them on the graves of "Our Boys."

"The art of conversation is the art of hearing as well as of being heard."

—*W. Hazlitt (Essays).*

37	38	39
counselor	crochet	data
counterfeit	crocheting	deceit
courtesy	crozier	decision
covenant	curious	decrease
covetousness	cylinder	deduct

40	41	42
defective	demonstration	desirous
deference	department	destination
definitely	dependent	detail
delicate	descendant	determine
democratic	desirable	determined

43	44	45
developed	disappointment	dispatch
development	discontinued	dispensary
difficulty	discourage	distinguish
dignity	discuss	distribution
diocesan	discussion	divisible

46	47	48
dolorous	ecstasy	efficient
duplicate	edition	elaborate
ecclesiastical	educational	emergency
ecclesiastics	effective	empire
economical	efficiency	employee

49	50	51
employer	enthusiasm	essential
enable	enthusiastic	estate
enclosure	epidemic	estimated
energy	equipped	evidence
entertaining	especially	exceedingly

52	53	54
exceptionally	exhibition	extraordinary
exclusive	existence	extreme
executed	expensive	extremely
executive	exquisite	faculty
exhausted	extension	fashionable

REVIEW

courtesy	diocesan	emergency
deceit	disappointment	especially
deference	discourage	evidence
descendant	distinguish	exhausted
determine	economical	exquisite
developed	efficient	extraordinary
extremely		fashionable

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The Diocesan Board of Charities is an efficient agent in caring for the sick in cases of emergency. It strives to show deference, especially to sick-poor.

The most fashionable people are not always distinguished for their extraordinary gifts to charitable activities. We have evidence that their funds seem to be exhausted upon their own needs.

2. Develop economical habits of saving in the young. It will save them, later in life, many disappointments. Determine how much to spend, and be extremely careful to spend no more. Distinguish between economy and stinginess. Discourage the latter.

3. Deceit:

"Oh, what a tangled web we weave
When first we practice to deceive!"
—Sir Walter Scott, in "Marmion."

Exquisite refinement of manner and speech is another term for courtesy. "All doors open to courtesy."

55	56	57
favorably	forwarding	genius
federal	fraternally	genuine
financial	frequently	gracious
folk	fundamental	gradually
foreigner	generous	graduating
58	**59**	**60**
graduation	hastily	homestead
gratitude	heinous	hustling
gross	herein	hypocrisy
gymnasium	herewith	ideal
gypsy	hesitate	illustrating
61	**62**	**63**
illustration	imprison	inclined
imaginary	inability	inclosed
imagination	inasmuch	inclusive
immediate	incarnation	inconvenience
impression	incessant	independence

64	65	66
individual	installment	interior
inducement	instruction	international
influence	insurance	interrupt
ingredients	intelligent	interview
inspection	interfere	introduction

67	68	69
inventory	joint	liability
investigation	kerosene	liable
involved	legislation	librarian
issued	legislature	lieutenant
itemized	leisure	literature

70	71	72
majority	materially	midst
management	mechanical	millionaire
maniple	membership	minimum
manner	memorandum	mischievous
manufacturers	merit	miserable

REVIEW

foreigner	immediate	intelligent
frequently	incessant	interrupt
gradually	inconvenience	itemized
gymnasium	independence	kerosene
heinous	inducement	leisure
hypocrisy	insurance	lieutenant
management		millionaire

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The lieutenant has the management of all matters at the Fort. He is an incessant worker and does not take any leisure, although we were told he is a millionaire. He assured us it was no inconvenience to accompany us to the Veteran Hospital. Whoever is responsible for the poor victims, we saw there, is surely guilty of a heinous crime.

2. An itemized statement of damages was made by the Insurance Company. They failed to make full payment, because they found kerosene and gasoline in the house. We had to interrupt our game in the gymnasium to listen to the Company's representative.

Hypocrisy:

"Who dares to think one thing, and another tell,
My heart detests him as the gates of hell."

—*Alexander Pope* (*Homer's "Illiad"*).

3. We frequently hear intelligent people talking of excluding the foreigner from our country. Were our ancestors one-time foreigners? Why did we struggle for independence from a foreign power? What immediate inducement led our ancestors to leave a foreign country? We gradually become forgetful of many things.

73	74	75
missionaries	mixture	musician
misspell	monstrance	mutual
misunderstanding	mood	mystical
miter	mortgage	necessarily
mixed	mosquito	necessity

76	77	78
needless	notified	observe
negligence	nuisance	occasional
nonsense	numerous	occurs
notary	nuptial	official
notation	obeyed	operated

79	80	81
operating	originally	pamphlet
operation	otherwise	Paraclete
oppose	outstanding	paragraph
organization	overcharge	parallel
organize	pageant	parochial

82	83	84
patronage	permission	persuade
peaceable	perseverance	phosphorus
peculiarities	persistence	photograph
perceive	personality	phrase
permanent	personally	physical

85	86	87
physician	politician	possession
pierce	politics	possibility
pigeon	positive	practically
pneumonia	positively	precious
political	possess	precipice

88	89	90
preferred	presumption	privilege
prejudice	prevented	probable
preliminary	prie-dieu	professional
preserve	principles	professor
pressure	prior	proficiency

REVIEW

missionaries	occurs	perseverance
monstrance	organize	physical
mortgage	pageant	physician
mosquito	parallel	pneumonia
nuisance	peaceable	precious
obeyed	perceive	preferred
principles		privilege

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The missionaries have a large mortgage on their building. Our Choral Club feels it a privilege to help them raise funds to pay it off. We preferred a musical concert to a pageant, but we perceive the parochial societies prefer the pageant. We came to peaceable terms by arranging and organizing a Musical Pageant for the occasion.

2. The mosquito nuisance would disappear, if the city would drain nearby swamps and the people obeyed rules of cleanliness.

Physicians say that pneumonia is the result of carelessness, and occurs when a person is not in good physical condition.

3. A beautiful gold monstrance, studded with precious jewels, has been presented to our chapel.

The principles of right and wrong are planted in every human heart.

There are no two cases exactly parallel, except straight lines.

"Genius," says Buffon, "is only infinite patience," or, as well said: "Perseverance gains the crown."

91	92	93
prophesy	provision	quantities
proportion	punctual	quantity
proposed	pyramid	quarantines
prospect	pyx	quoting
protection	quality	recognize

94	95	96
recollection	register	remit
recommend	registered	remittance
referred	registration	rendered
referring	relieved	repetition
regarding	remembrance	representation

97	98	99
representative	resigned	restrain
republican	resistance	reverse
reputation	responsibility	revised
required	responsible	righteous
reservation	restitution	roommate

100	101	102
sacrilegious	scheme	security
salesmen	scholar	seize
sanitary	scientific	seizing
satisfactorily	scrupulous	seldom
scenery	securing	selection

103	104	105
senate	shortage	sole
sensible	sieve	soliciting
seraphim	similar	sovereignty
seriously	skilful	specifications
session	society	specified

106	107	108
stationery	suggestion	supervisor
steadily	summon	surgeon
stubbornness	superstition	surgery
substitute	superstitious	surplus
suggested	supervision	suspicious

REVIEW

punctual	representative	scholar
recognize	resistance	seize
recommend	responsibility	seriously
referred	righteous	sieve
relieved	sacrilegious	similar
remittance	scenery	sovereignty

stationery surgeon

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. The surgeon relieved the patient and recommended that she be removed to a hospital, as she was seriously injured. She did not recognize her sister, but referred to the accident. Her parents sent on a remittance to defray her expenses.

2. Every scholar should be punctual and never show resistance to lawful authority. He should seize every opportunity to improve himself.

Righteous anger was shown by the Christian world, when Napoleon dared to lay sacrilegious hands upon Pope Pius VI. From that day, his sovereignty over conquered countries began to weaken.

3. Our State Representative feels his responsibility and will be loyal to those who sent him to Congress.

If it's beautiful scenery we wish to see, we need not travel abroad.

We recommend the use of the best white stationery, when letters are written.

On a similar occasion, the men used a very fine sieve to drain off the gold-dust.

109	110	111
syllable	tennis	thoroughly
symbol	testimony	tortoise
sympathy	theology	transaction
tariff	theory	transferred
temporary	thereby	transit

112	113	114
treasurer	undoubtedly	utmost
triduum	unfortunately	vague
triumph	universal	valued
tuberculosis	university	variety
twilight	unusually	vary

115	116	117
ventilate	volume	wrestle
vicinity	warehouse	wretch
villain	warrant	X-ray
virtuous	whereby	yacht
vision	witness	zephyr

REVIEW

syllable	treasurer	vicinity
symbol	tuberculosis	villain
sympathy	undoubtedly	virtuous
tariff	university	warrant
thoroughly	unusually	witness
transferred	vague	wrestle
wretch		X-ray

DICTATION EXERCISES

1. Undoubtedly, the use of X-ray has aided physicians to give proper treatment in tuberculosis cases, but we will warrant nature, time, and patience, with sympathy, and cheerful companionship as the greatest aids for its cure.

2. Catholics are thoroughly aware that it is unusually difficult for youth to remain virtuous in a Godless university.

"Virtue is like precious odors,—most fragrant when they are incensed or crushed."

—*Francis Bacon (On Adversity).*

A letter is a symbol, and one or several letters a syllable; one or several syllables form a word.

3. The villain and another wretch had been all day in the vicinity of the office, and saw the treasurer when he transferred the money to the satchel. The only witness to the robbery was the office boy. He could give only a vague description of the robber.

The people have had to wrestle with tariff bills, since the beginning of our history.

"Be just and fear not.
Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's,
Thy God's and truth's."

—*Shakespeare.*

ADDITIONAL REVIEW

Words of Grades Two to Eight Inclusive

ache
across
always
believe
choose
ceremony
coming
disciples
disease
either
excellent
except
heard
here
height
hoarse
judgment
knowledge
lose a dollar
meant
necessary
occurred
often
parallel
patience
penance
pleasant
privilege
receive
running
sacrament
sacrifice
solemn
stopped
sufficient
swimming
teacher
thieves
through
together
traveled
trouble
until
virtuous
weather
where
whether
whose
woman
writing

SPECIAL WORDS REFERENCE LIST

This is a list of 311 words selected from those studied in second, third, and fourth grades. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

ache
afraid
again
almighty
almost
already
altar
always
among
angel
answer
any
apiece
autumn
banana
because
been
believe
believing
Bethlehem
between
birthday
bishop
blue
bottle
bought
break
breakfast
breath
bridge
brought
built
bundle
bury
bus
busy
butcher
buy
buying
can't
carriage
carried
catechism
Catholic
caught
children
chimney
choose
choosing
chrism
Christian
circle
coffee
color
coming
commandment
commit
confession
confessor
confirm
Confirmation
cough
could
country
cousin
creature

cupboard
dear
death
diamond
died
disobey
doctor
does
dollar
done
don't
double
dressed
dropped
dying
early
earth
easy
easier
eight
eighty
elephant
engine
enough
eternal
evening
every
everyone
falsehood
February
field
filling
floor
forbidden
forty
fourth
friend
gentle
ghost
Gospel
grease
grocery
grown
guardian
guess
half
Hallowe'en
halves
handkerchief
handle
handsome
having
health
hear
heard
heaven
heavy
hereafter
holiday
Holy Ghost
honest
honor
hoping
hour
hundred
humble
husband
image
its
January
just
justice
kettle
kitchen
knee
kneel
knew
know
ladies
laid
language

laugh
laundry
learn
lesson
listen
lose
lying
making
many
martyr
meant
measure
mental
might
minute
money
monkey
mortal
moving
much
naughty
newspaper
nickel
niece
none
obedience
obedient
obey
often
once
opened
original
ought
pastor
pearl
people
picnic
picture
piece
potato
pour
prayer
preach
prepare
priest
prison
program
promise
proper
prove
pumpkin
quarrel
quiet
raise
read
ready
recess
Redeemer
remain
remove
rough
running
sacrament
said
salvation
Santa Claus
saucer
Savior
says
seeing
seems
seventy
shoes
should
sight
sign
since
sinning
sleigh
soap
soldier

some
someone
something
somewhere
soul
speech
spirit
spread
squirrel
statue
stayed
stirred
straight
suffering
sugar
supper
sure
surprise
sweat
tear (the cloth)
telephone
temple
temptation
Thanksgiving
their
there
they
thought
thousand
thread
through
tired
together
tomorrow
tongue
tonight
too
touch
toward
tried
Tuesday
turkey
twelve
twenty
twice
two (2)
understand
unless
until
used
venial
very
vessel
virgin
virtue
visitor
weak
wear
weather
Wednesday
week
whenever
where
which
whistle
whistling
whole
witch
woman
women
wonderful
woolen
worship
worth
would
wound
write
writing
written
wrong
wrote
yesterday
yourself

REFERENCE LIST

This list contains all the words studied in grades five to eight inclusive. Use it when you are not sure of the spelling of a word.

ability
abroad
absence
absent
absolute
absolutely
absolution
absolve
abstain
abstinence
abstract
abundant
academy
accept
acceptable
acceptance
accepted
accessory
accident
accommodate
accompanied
accompany
accompanying
accomplish
accordance
according
accordingly
account
accounting
accredited
accurate
ache
acknowledge
acknowledging
acknowledgment
acolyte
acquaintance
acquainted
acquire
acre
action
active
activities
activity
actor
actual
actually
adding
addition
additional
address
addressed
addresses
adjourned
adjust
adjustment
administer
administration
administrator
admire
admission
admit
admitted
adopt
adopted
advance
advanced
advancement
advantage
advantages
adventure
advertise
advertisement
advertising
advice
advisable
advise
advising
aeroplane
affair
affection
affectionate
affectionately
affidavit

afford
afloat
afterwards
agency
agent
agree
agreeable
agreed
agreement
agricultural
agriculture
aid
aim
aisle
alb
alcohol
alfalfa
algebra
allege
allotment
allowance
allowed
all right
alms
although
altogether
alumni
ambition
ambitious
amendment
American
amice
ammunition
amount
ample
amusement
analysis
analyze
anathema
ancient
angrily
angry
anniversary
announce
announcement
annual
annually
annul
annunciation
anoint
answered
answering
anticipate
anticipating
anxious
anybody
apart
apologize
apostle
apostolic
apparatus
apparent
appeal
appealing
appear
appearance
appeared
appendicitis
appetite
applicant
application
applied
apply
applying
appoint
appointment
appreciate
appreciating
appreciation
approval
approve
approved
approximately
archangel
archbishop
architect
arctic
area
argument
arithmetic
army
arrange
arrangement
arrest
arrival
arrive
arriving
article
artificial

artist
ascend
ascension
ascertain
assembly
assessment
assigned
assignment
assist
assistance
assistant
associate
associated
association
assortment
assume
Assumption
assurance
assure
assured
assuring
athlete
athletics
attached
attack
attacked
attain
attempt
attend
attendance
attention
attitude
attorney

attraction
attractive
attribute
audience
aureole
author
authority
authorized
automatic
automobile
available
avenue
average
aviator
avoid
awaiting
aware
awful
awfully
awkward
backed
baggage
balance
ballot
balsam
banking
banquet
baptism
baptize
barely
bargain
barley
barrel

base
baseball
based
basis
basketball
bass
beaten
beatification
beauty
beef
beggar
beginning
behalf
behavior
being
belief
bench
Benediction
beneficent
benefit
beseech
beside
beyond
Bible
bicycle
bind
biretta
birth
biscuit
blank
blanket
blaspheme
blasphemy

blizzard
bloom
boiler
bond
bonus
booklet
booth
borrow
bough
bound
boundary
bounty
bouquet
brain
branches
breaking
breast
breathe
breeze
brief
brilliant
broad
bruise
bucket
building
bulk
bulletin
burden
bureau
burglar
buried
burst
busily

business
button
buyer
cabinet
calculation
calendar
called
calling
calm
campaign
campus
cancel
canceled
cancellation
candidacy
candidate
candles
canned
canoe
canon
canonization
canticle
canvass
capable
capacity
capital
capitol
captain
capture
carbon
cared
career
carefully

carnival
carpenter
carrier
carrying
cartoon
cash
cashier
cassock
catalogue
catalogues
cathedral
catholicity
cause
caution
cedar
ceiling
celebrate
celebrating
celebration
celery
cellar
cement
cemetery
censer
central
centurion
century
cereal
ceremonies
ceremony
certain
certainly
certificate

chairman
chalice
chancellor
changeable
changing
channel
chapel
chaplain
chaplet
chapter
character
characteristic
charge
charging
charitable
charming
chart
chastity
chasuble
chauffeur
cheaper
check
checked
cheerful
chemistry
cherries
chief
chill
chisel
chocolate
choice
choir
chop
chores
chorus
chose
Christianity
ciborium
cigar
cincture
circuit
circular
circulation
circumcision
circumstance
cities
citizen
civics
civil
claim
clay
cleaner
clearly
clergy
clerk
clever
client
climate
closely
closing
clothe
clothes
coach
coarse
coast
coasting
cocoa
code
coin
collect
collection
college
colonel
colonies
colored
column
combination
comfort
comfortable
command
commemorate
commence
commencement
comment
commerce
commercial
commission
commissioner
committee
committed
committing
common
communicate
communication
Communion
community
companies
companion
comparative

compare
comparison
compassionate
compelled
competition
complain
complaint
complete
completely
compliance
compliment
comply
composition
conceal
conceit
conceive
conceived
conception
concern
concerning
concert
conclude
conclusion
concrete
condition
conduct
confer
conference
confidence
confident
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splendid
sponsor

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struggle
stubbornness
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wrist
writer

X-ray
yacht
yearly
yield
yoke
younger
yours
yourselves
youth
youthful
zeal
zealous
zephyr
zero
zone

REVIEW

Contractions—Grade III

cannot	can't
could not	couldn't
did not	didn't
do not	don't
is not	isn't

Grade IV

are not	aren't
does not	doesn't
has not	hasn't
had not	hadn't
have not	haven't
I would	I'd
I will	I'll
I am	I'm
it is	it's
I have	I've
that is	that's
was not	wasn't
we will	we'll
we have	we've
will not	won't

would not	wouldn't
you would	you'd
you will	you'll

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ONE HUNDRED SPELLING DEMONS OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE*

These words, which you have already studied, look very simple but they give so much trouble that they are called "demons." Make sure that you have mastered every one.

ache	could	here
again	country	hoarse
always	dear	hour
among	doctor	instead
answer	does	just
any	done	knew
been	don't	know
beginning	early	laid
believe	easy	loose
blue	enough	lose
break	every	making
built	February	many
busy	forty	meant
business	friend	minute
buy	grammar	much
can't	guess	none
choose	half	often
color	having	once
coming	hear	piece
cough	heard	raise

* Jones: Concrete Investigation of the Material of English Spelling.

read
ready
said
says
seems
separate
shoes
since
some
straight
sugar
sure
tear
their
there
they
though
through
tired
tonight
too
trouble
truly
Tuesday
two
used
very
week
wear
Wednesday
where
whether
which
whole
women
won't
would
write
writing
wrote

ABBREVIATIONS

Abbreviations which pupils of grades five to eight have occasion to use.

Afternoon	P.M. or p.m.
And so forth	etc.
Answer	ans.
Anno Domini	A. D.
Archbishop	Abp.
Assistant Superintendent	Asst. Supt.
Avenue	Av. or Ave.
Before Christ	B. C.
Before noon	A.M. or a.m.
Bishop	Bp.
Blessed Virgin Mary	B. V. M.
Brother	Bro.
Captain	Capt.
Cardinal	Card.
Cash on delivery	C. O. D.
Colonel	Col.
Company	Co.
Doctor	Dr.
Example	ex.
Governor	Gov.
Grand Army of the Republic	G.A.R.
His Holiness	H. H.
Honorable	Hon.

Junior	Jr.
Lieutenant	Lieut.
Major	Maj.
Mister	Mr.
Missus (Mistress)	Mrs.
Namely	viz.
Number	No. or no.
Parish Priest	P. P.
Post Office	P. O.
President	Pres.
Professor	Prof.
Reverend	Rev.
Right Reverend	Rt. Rev.
Rural Free Delivery	R. F. D.
Saint	St.
Secretary	Sec.
Senior	Sr.
Street	St.
Superior	Sup.
Take notice or note well	N. B.
That is (id est)	i. e.
Treasurer	Treas.
United States	U. S.
United States of America	U. S. A.
United States Navy	U. S. N.
Very Reverend	V. Rev.
Volume	vol.

DAYS OF THE WEEK

Sunday	Sun.	Wednesday	Wed.
Monday	Mon.	Thursday	Thurs.
Tuesday	Tues.	Friday	Fri.
	Saturday	Sat.	

MONTHS OF THE YEAR

January	Jan.	July	July
February	Feb.	August	Aug.
March	Mar.	September	Sept.
April	Apr.	October	Oct.
May	May	November	Nov.
June	June	December	Dec.

USE OF THE DICTIONARY

You will need to use the dictionary for the following purposes:

1. To make sure of the spelling of a word;
2. To find out how to pronounce it;
3. To find how it is divided into syllables so that you may know how to write it at the end of a line when there is not room for the entire word;
4. To find its meaning.

In order to make the best use of the dictionary you should give yourself practice in saying or writing the alphabet so that you may know how the letters follow each other. Then you should take a list of words beginning with different letters and arrange them in alphabetical order. Next take a list of words beginning with the same letter and arrange them in alphabetical order. Give yourself practice in finding words in the dictionary. Take only a few at a time. After a while you will be able to locate a word with very little turning of pages.

DIACRITICAL MARKS

The following marks are used in the dictionary* to show the pronunciation of words.

ā as in āle	ē as in ēve	ī as in īce
ă as in ăm	ĕ as in ĕnd	ĭ as in ĭll
ä as in ärm	e̱ as in e̱vent	
ȧ as in ȧsk	ē as in makēr	
a̱ as in sena̱te		
â as in câre		

ō as in ōld	ū as in ūse	o͞o as in fo͞od
ŏ as in ŏdd	ŭ as in ŭp	o͝o as in fo͝ot
o̱ as in o̱bey	u̱ as in u̱nite	ou as in out
ô as in ôr	û as in ûrn	oi as in oil

* Webster's Collegiate Dictionary, 1925.

prē′), *n.*; *pl.* BEAUX-ESPRITS (bō′zĕs-prē′). [F., fine wit.] A fine genius, or person of wit.

bel′fry (-frĭ), *n.*; *pl.* -FRIES (-frĭz). [OF. *berfrei, berfroi.*] **1.** *Mil.* A movable tower formerly used in sieges. **2.** A bell tower, usually attached to a church or other building; a campanile. **3.** A room for a bell in a tower, or a cupola, turret, or framework to hold a bell.—**bel′fried** (-frĭd), *a.*

Bel′gi-an (bĕl′jĭ-ăn), *a.* Of or pertaining to Belgium.

Belgian block, a nearly cubical block of some tough stone, esp. granite, for street paving. —**B. hare,** a rufous-red variety of domestic rabbit. —**B. marble.** See RANCE.

— *n.* A native or inhabitant of Belgium.

Bel′gic (-jĭk), *a.* [L. *Belgicus.*] Of or pert. to the **Belgæ** (an ancient people of Low German stock, prob. ancestors of the modern Belgians) or the Netherlands or Belgium.

Be′li-al (bē′lĭ-ăl; bĕl′yăl), *n.* [Heb. *beli ya'al; beli* without+*ya'al* profit.] **1.** A word in the Scriptures and in rabbinical and apocryphal literature, commonly taken as meaning primarily "worthlessness." In later Jewish literature and in the New Testament it became identified with *Satan,* as meaning the spirit of evil or lawlessness. **2.** In Milton's "Paradise Lost," one of the fallen angels.

be-lie′ (bē-lī′), *v. t.*; -LIED′ (bē-līd′); -LY′ING (-lī′ĭng). **1.** To tell lies about; slander. **2.** To misrepresent; as, he is honest, or his face *belies* him. **3.** To falsify; be false to, or show to be false; as, he *belied* his human nature; "novels *belie* their name, and offer nothing new." — **be-li′er,** *n.*

be-lief′ (bē-lēf′), *n.* [ME. *bileafe, bileve.* See BELIEVE.] **1.** A state or habit of mind in which trust is placed in some person or thing; trust; confidence. **2.** *Theol.* A persuasion of the truths of religion; faith. **3.** Conviction or feeling of the truth or reality of something; as, it is true, according to my *belief; belief* in one's own activity. **4.** The thing believed; doctrine; creed.

Syn. Assent, credence, assurance, reliance, faith, persuasion, conviction. — **Belief, faith, persuasion, conviction** agree in the idea of assent. **Belief** and **faith** differ chiefly in that *belief,* as a rule, suggests little more than intellectual assent; *faith* implies also trust or confidence; as, one in whom *persuasion* and *belief* had ripened into *faith.* A **persuasion** is an assured opinion; as, it is my *persuasion* that he is bad. *Persuasion* sometimes implies that this assurance is induced by one's feelings or wishes, rather than by argument or evidence; **conviction** stands for a fixed and settled belief; as, his *belief* is likely to have been *persuasion* rather than *conviction.*

be-liev′a-ble (-lēv′ă-b'l), *a.* Capable of being believed.

be-lieve′ (-lēv′), *v. i.*; -LIEVED′ (-lēvd′); -LIEV′ING. [AS. *gelēfan, gelȳfan.*] **1.** To have faith or confidence; — used with *in, on,* or *upon.* **2.** To exercise belief or faith, esp. as to the truths of religion. **3.** To think; judge.—*v. t.* To exercise belief in; regard, accept, or hold as true; also, to think; consider. — **be-liev′er** (-lēv′ẽr), *n.*

be-liev′ing, *p. a.* That believes. — **be-liev′ing-ly,** *adv.*

be-like′ (bē-lĭk′), *adv.* [*be-* (for *by*) + *like.*] Probably; perhaps. *Obs. or Archaic.*

be-lit′tle (bē-lĭt′'l), *v. t.*; -LIT′TLED (-l'd); -LIT′TLING. To make little or less; speak of in a depreciatory way.

bell (bĕl), *n.* [AS. *belle.*] **1.** A hollow, often cup-shaped metallic vessel, giving forth a ringing sound on being struck. **2.** Specif.: **a** A bell, as of a clock, rung to tell the hours; also (usually in *pl.*), the stroke of such a bell, esp. on shipboard. **b** The time so indicated; *Naut.,* a half hour. **3.** Anything in the form of a bell; as: **a** The corolla of a flower. **b** The flaring mouth of a trumpet or other wind instrument. **c** The body of a helmet.

1 Electric Bell; 2 Hand Bell.

— *v. t.* **1.** To provide with a bell. **2.** To make bell-mouthed, or flarin[g] —**to bell the cat,** to [u]ndertake a dangerous or risky deed; [a]llu[sion] [to] a fa[ble] of the [mi]d[dle] [A]ges.

lesque Cardinal Bellarmine (1542–16 *graybeard, longbeard.*

bell bird. Any of several birds whose [n]ame are likened to the sound of a bell; [e]sp. The campanero (*Chasmorhyncus n* of South America. **b** A honeysucker (*[M]yzomela rhina melanophrys*) of Australia o (*Anthornis melanura*) of New Zeala[nd].

bell cot *or* **cote.** A small or subsidiary [s]tructure, frequently corbeled out fro[m] walls of a structure, and used to cont[ain] support one or more bells.

belle (bĕl), *n.* [F., fem. of *bel, beau.*] BEAU.] A beautiful girl or woman; esp. whose personal charms make her attr

belle′dom (bĕl′dŭm), *n.*

bel-ler′ic (bĕ-lĕr′ĭk), *n.* [F. *belléric balīlah.*] The fruit of an East Indi *bellerica*). It is a variety of myroba

Bel-ler′o-phon (bĕ-lĕr′ō-fŏn), *n.* [L., *Gr. Myth.* A Corinthian hero who slew the chimera, with the aid of the winged horse Pegasus.

‖ belles′-let′tres (bĕl′lĕt′r'), *n. pl.* [F.] Polite or elegant literature, esp. literature in which imagination and taste are predominant. — **Syn.** See LITERATURE. — **bel′le-tris′tic** (bĕl′lĕ-trĭs′tĭk), *a.*

bell′flow′er, *n.* [F. *bellefleur,* lit., beautiful flower.] A kind of apple. The yellow bellflower is a large winter apple.

bell′flow′er (bĕl′flou′ẽr), *n.* Any of a large genus (*Campanula*) of plants with bell-shaped flowers; a campanula.

bel′li-cose (bĕl′lĭ-kōs; bĕl′lĭ-kōs′), *a.* [L. *bellicosus,* fr. *bellicus* Inclined to contention; pugnacious. — ERENT. — **bel′li-cose′ly,** *adv.*

bel′li-cos′i-ty (bĕl′lĭ-kŏs′ĭ-tĭ), *n.* Belli

bel-lig′er-ence (bĕ-lĭj′ẽr-ĕns) } *n.* Qu

bel-lig′er-en-cy (-lĭj′ẽr-ĕn-sĭ) } erent ent; act or state of waging war.

bel-lig′er-ent (-ĕnt), *a.* [L. *belligera rare* to wage war, deriv. of *bellum* war **1.** Waging war; carrying on war. **2.** ing to war; warlike; pert. to bellig erent nation, state, or person. — **bel Syn.** Irascible, choleric; disputatiou some, contentious, litigious; bellico **ligerent, bellicose, pugnacious, q tious, litigious** agree in the idea o. **Belligerent** implies warlikeness or actu **cose,** inclination to fight. **Pugnacio** *cose* in applying more to disposition pettiness or ill nature, as does **qua tious** often suggests perversity and dispute. **Litigious** implies fondness

bell jar. A kind of glass vessel open closed at the top, like a bell.

bell′man (bĕl′măn), *n.* A man who ri

bell metal. A hard alloy or bronze, co three to four parts of copper to one of

bell′-mouthed′, *a.* Flaring at the m

bel′o-man′cy (-ō-măn′sĭ), *n.* [Gr. *βέλ* Divination by means of arrows. Cf. *a*

Bel-lo′na (bĕ-lō′nă), *n.* [L., fr. *bellum* [w]ar

PREFIXES

Prefix means to place before. When a word or syllable is placed before another word and becomes part of it the meaning of the word is changed. Some common prefixes are listed below.

dis	disobey
in	inability
inter	international
un	unusual
re	replace
super	supernatural
trans	transaction

SUFFIXES

Suffix means to fasten on. When a word or syllable is added to the end of another word and becomes part of it, the meaning of the word is changed. Some common suffixes are given below.

able	comfortable	less	careless
ed	connected	ly	carelessly
er	teacher	ment	judgment
est	longest	ness	carelessness
ful	careful	or	actor
ing	confirming	ous	nervous
	some	wholesome	

SOME USEFUL SPELLING RULES

1. Expect to drop e before ing.

come	coming
have	having
write	writing

2. Words of one syllable ending in a consonant preceded by a single vowel double the final consonant before a suffix beginning with a vowel.

drop	dropped
sit	sitting

3. Words of more than one syllable accented on the last syllable and ending in a consonant preceded by a single vowel, double the final consonant before a suffix beginning with a vowel.

occur	occurred
compel	compelled

4. A good rule to remember is

I before e
Except after c
Or when sounded as a
As in neighbor and weigh.

5. To form the plural of nouns ending in y preceded by a consonant, change y to i and add es.

lady	ladies

6. Get used to the ending ying.

try	trying
hurry	hurrying
study	studying

PROPER NAMES

Agatha
Aloysius
Amelia
Anthony
Augustine
Austin
Barbara
Bartholomew
Basil
Beatrice
Benedict
Benjamin
Bernard
Bridget
Charlotte
Christopher
Cornelius
Cyprian
Daniel
Dominic
Dorothy
Edmund
Edwin
Eleanor
Ethel
Evelyn
Frances
Francis
Frederick
Genevieve
Gregory
Isaac
Jerome
Louise
Magdalen
Mark
Matthew
Matthias
Michael
Miriam
Nicholas
Philip
Ruth
Simon
Stephen
Sylvester
Thaddeus
Thomas
Timothy
Zachary

ABBREVIATIONS OF STATES, TERRITORIES AND POSSESSIONS OF THE UNITED STATES

Alabama	Ala.
Alaska	Alas.
Arizona	Ariz.
Arkansas	Ark.
California	Cal. or Calif.
Colorado	Col. or Colo.
Connecticut	Conn.
Delaware	Del.
District of Columbia	D. C.
Florida	Fla.
Georgia	Ga.
Idaho	Id. or Ida.
Illinois	Ill. or Ills.
Indiana	Ind.
Iowa	Io. or Ia.
Kansas	Kan., Kans. or Kas.
Kentucky	Ky.
Louisiana	Lou. or La.
Maine	Me.
Maryland	Md.
Massachusetts	Mass.
Michigan	Mich.
Minnesota	Minn.
Mississippi	Miss.
Missouri	Mo.
Montana	Mont.
Nebraska	Neb.
Nevada	Nev.
New Hampshire	N. H.
New Jersey	N. J.
New Mexico	N. M. or N. Mex.
New York	N. Y.
North Carolina	N. C.
North Dakota	N. D. or N. Dak.
Ohio	O.
Oklahoma	Okla.
Oregon	Ore.
Pennsylvania	Pa. or Penn.
Philippine Islands	P. I.
Porto Rico	P. R.
Rhode Island	R. I.
South Carolina	S. C.
South Dakota	S. D. or S. Dak.
Tennessee	Tenn.
Texas	Tex.
Utah	Ut.
Vermont	Vt.
Virginia	Va.
Washington	Wash.
West Virginia	W. Va.
Wisconsin	Wis.
Wyoming	Wyo.

THE END

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